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PART I.

INTRODUCTION.

This report presents for each of 39 of the most important industrial cities in the various sections of the United States the retail prices of the principal articles of food, the weight of principal brands of baker's bread, the retail prices of anthracite and bituminous coal for household use, and the net price of gas for household use.

This report summarizes data published in previous retail price reports of the Bureau of Labor,[1] and thus furnishes a comparison of retail prices of food from 1890 to June, 1912, and of prices of coal and gas from 1907 to June, 1912. Actual retail prices of the principal articles of food and actual bread weights are shown in this report for the 15th of each month, January to June, 1912, and for purposes of comparison for corresponding dates in 1911. Actual retail prices of coal for household use are shown for the 15th of January and April, 1912, and for corresponding dates in 1911. Actual prices of gas for household use are shown for April 15, 1912, and for the corresponding date in 1911.

Data showing prices paid for food on the 15th of each month during the early part of 1912 were furnished direct to the Bureau by a number of consumers in Washington, D. C., and through the courtesy of the Housewives League of New York similar data were furnished for several other cities. These statements of prices are not published in this report, but have been used by the Bureau for comparative purposes.

The Bureau at the present time is in receipt of monthly reports of prices of the principal articles of food from approximately 675 retail merchants, of monthly reports of bread weights from 140 bakeries, of quarterly reports of coal prices from 165 coal dealers, and of gas prices, as requested, from 60 gas companies in the 39 cities included in the study. The promptness with which the reports are sent in by those who have been requested to furnish information and the interest which has been taken, as indicated by the ready reply to letters of inquiry, are very much appreciated by the Bureau.

[1] Eighteenth Annual Report and Bulletin Nos. 59, 65, 71, 77, and 105.

This cooperation will enable the Bureau to issue a report on retail prices every second month in order to meet the constant demand for current information relative to prices.

The cities included in this report are important industrial cities representing 32 States. In a general way each city selected was that one which had the largest population in the section in which it is situated; but, in addition, two smaller cities were included—Fall River, which is a textile center in Massachusetts, and Scranton, which is situated in the anthracite coal section of Pennsylvania. Within the 39 cities live one-fifth of the total number of people, two-fifths of the urban population, and approximately one-third of the total number engaged in gainful occupations (not including those in agricultural pursuits) in continental United States.

The grade of articles of food quoted is that sold in each city in stores patronized largely by families of American, English, Irish, German, and Scandinavian wage earners. The Bureau has not attempted to quote prices for an article of identical grade throughout the 39 cities. For almost every article this would be absolutely impossible, as the grade varies not only from city to city but also from firm to firm within the same city, and the grade even varies to some extent from month to month within the same store. Stores which vary in a marked degree from day to day or month to month the grade of articles handled have not been included, but in every store there is necessarily some variation in grade.

This report is published in two parts. Part I contains a summary of the whole report and Part II contains all general tables showing actual price quotations and bread weights for the first six months of 1912 and, also for comparative purposes, for the first six months of 1911, city by city.

FOOD.

Fifteen articles of food enter into the relative prices in this report. These 15 articles represent approximately two-thirds of the expenditure for food by the average workingman's family, as shown in the Eighteenth Annual Report of the Commissioner of Labor. Eleven of these fifteen articles were higher in price on June 15, 1912, than on December 15, 1911. The only four of the fifteen articles lower in price were eggs, butter, milk, and sugar, and the price of three of these four are normally lower during the summer months than during the winter months.

Fourteen of the fifteen articles were higher in price on June 15, 1912, than on June 15, 1911. Bacon was the only article showing a decline in price, and the change was only 0.1 per cent. The per cent of advance varied from 2.4 per cent for milk to 18.6 per cent for round steak. Nine of the fifteen articles advanced more than 10 per cent.

The table which follows compares for each of the 15 articles the price on June 15, 1912, with the price on June 15, 1911:

PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN THE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1911, BY ARTICLES.

Articles.	Per cent of increase in price.	Per cent of decrease in price.
Bacon, smoked	.....	0.1
Milk, fresh	2.4	.....
Ham, smoked	2.7	.....
Hens	3.8	.....
Sugar, granulated	6.0	.....
Potatoes, Irish	7.6	.....
Wheat flour	10.7	.....
Pork chops	11.2	.....
Lard, pure	11.3	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	11.8	.....
Corn meal	12.7	.....
Butter, creamery	15.3	.....
Sirloin steak	17.1	.....
Ribroast	17.5	.....
Round steak	18.6	.....

The next table compares for each of the 15 articles the price on the 15th of January, February, March, April, May, and June, 1912, with the price on the corresponding date in 1911.

PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE OF 1911, BY ARTICLES.

Article.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	2.3	.....	3.0	.....	4.3	.....	9.4	.....	15.8	.....	17.1	.....
Round steak	2.1	.....	2.8	.....	3.7	.....	9.3	.....	16.7	.....	18.6	.....
Rib roast	2.1	.....	2.7	.....	3.5	.....	7.6	.....	14.6	.....	17.5	.....
Pork chops	.....	3.8	.....	6.4	.....	0.8	10.9	.....	12.8	.....	11.2	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	8.6	.....	8.8	.....	7.7	.....	3.2	.....	0.7	.....	0.1
Ham, smoked	.....	2.8	.....	2.8	.....	1.9	1.2	.....	3.5	.....	2.7	.....
Lard, pure	.....	12.4	.....	11.0	.....	6.7	.3	.....	8.3	.....	11.3	.....
Hens	.....	2.1	.....	1.4	1.9	.....	3.1	.....	3.9	.....	3.8	.....
Wheat flour	.....	.2	1.2	.....	2.7	.....	5.2	.....	9.9	.....	10.7	.....
Corn meal	5.7	.....	6.0	.....	7.0	.....	9.1	.....	12.3	.....	12.7	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	9.6	.....	26.9	.....	5.4	.....	11.5	.....	12.1	.....	11.8	.....
Butter, creamery	18.6	.....	17.2	.....	13.6	.....	26.0	.....	24.9	.....	15.3	.....
Potatoes, Irish	49.2	.....	55.8	.....	66.7	.....	77.6	.....	48.5	.....	7.6	.....
Sugar, granulated	15.2	.....	15.8	.....	16.2	.....	11.5	.....	8.1	.....	6.0	.....
Milk, fresh	.....	.2	.....	.1	.3	.....	1.3	.....	2.8	.....	2.4	.....

Of the 15 articles of food, the price of 8 was higher on January 15, 1912, than on January 15, 1911; the price of 9 was higher on February 15, 1912, than on February 15, 1911; the price of 11 was higher on March 15, 1912, than on March 15, 1911; the price of 14 was higher on April 15, 1912, than on April 15, 1911; the price of 14 was higher on May 15, 1912, than on May 15, 1911; and the price of 14 was higher on June 15, 1912, than on June 15, 1911.

The next table compares for each of the 15 articles the price on June 15, 1912, with the average price for the 10-year period 1890 to 1899. Sugar made the least change and potatoes made the greatest change, with advances of 8.5 per cent and 111.9 per cent, respectively. Ten of the 15 articles advanced in price more than 50 per cent.

PER CENT OF INCREASE IN THE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1912, COMPARED WITH THE AVERAGE PRICE FOR THE 10-YEAR PERIOD 1890 TO 1899, BY ARTICLES.

Article.	Per cent of increase in price.
Sugar, granulated	8.5
Eggs, strictly fresh	26.1
Milk, fresh	32.9
Butter, creamery	33.3
Wheat flour	39.3
Lard, pure	55.3
Hens	58.1
Sirloin steak	59.5
Ham, smoked	61.3
Corn meal	63.7
Ribroast	63.8
Round steak	84.0
Pork chops	86.0
Bacon, smoked	96.7
Potatoes, Irish	111.9

The next table compares for each of the principal articles of food the retail price on June 15, 1912, with the price on June 15, 1911, within each of the 39 cities and also within each geographical division.

The table shows, for example, that in Boston, Mass., prices on June 15, 1912, compared with prices on June 15, 1911, advanced 12.5 per cent for sirloin steak, 17.8 per cent for round steak, 27.4 per cent for ribroast, 5.1 per cent for pork chops, and declined 1.7 per cent for bacon, etc. The table also shows that prices for sirloin steak on June 15, 1912, compared with prices on June 15, 1911, advanced 12.5 per cent in Boston, 18.4 per cent in Buffalo, 6.6 per cent in Atlanta, 16.2 per cent in Chicago, and 13.8 per cent in Birmingham, etc.

PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1911, BY CITIES AND GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS.

City and geographical division.	Sirloin steak: Price June 15, 1912—		Round steak: Price June 15, 1912—		Rib roast: Price June 15, 1912—		Pork chops: Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
North Atlantic division:								
Boston, Mass.	12.5	.....	17.8	.....	27.4	.....	5.1	.....
Buffalo, N. Y.	18.4	.....	24.2	.....	21.7	.....	5.4	.....
Fall River, Mass.	21.3	.....	30.4	.....	22.8	.....	14.0	.....
Manchester, N. H.	20.5	.....	33.5	.....	22.4	.....	7.0	.....
Newark, N. J.	17.5	.....	20.6	.....	24.1	.....	22.8	.....
New Haven, Conn	20.3	.....	18.5	.....	24.0	.....	15.9	.....
New York, N. Y.	18.4	.....	21.9	.....	22.6	.....	21.6	.....
Philadelphia, Pa.	20.8	.....	22.3	.....	21.4	.....	28.5	.....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	29.6	.....	26.6	.....	17.9	.....	9.3	.....
Providence, R. I.	25.0	.....	31.9	.....	34.8	.....	13.8	.....
Scranton, Pa.	23.3	.....	25.5	.....	22.4	.....	9.0	.....
South Atlantic division:								
Atlanta, Ga.	6.6	.....	8.8	.....	15.6	.....	12.4	.....
Baltimore, Md.	21.6	.....	19.0	.....	13.5	.....	13.6	.....
Charleston, S. C.	3.3	.....	5.7	.....	4.2	.....	9.1	.....
Jacksonville, Fla.	28.2	.....	11.2	.....	15.1	.....	9.0	.....
Richmond, Va.	20.4	.....	17.0	.....	15.2	.....	22.2	.....
Washington, D.C.	17.7	.....	25.1	.....	18.1	.....	17.4	.....
North Central division:								
Chicago, Ill.	16.2	.....	21.1	.....	12.2	.....	3.5	.....
Cincinnati, Ohio.	20.9	.....	13.2	.....	22.1	.....	13.8	.....
Cleveland, Ohio.	23.4	.....	27.5	.....	22.6	.....	15.9	.....
Detroit, Mich.	13.0	.....	17.8	.....	15.9	.....	11.9	.....
Indianapolis, Ind.	18.7	.....	18.2	.....	15.2	.....	14.0	.....
Kansas City, Mo.	21.6	.....	23.1	.....	15.6	.....	23.4	.....
Milwaukee, Wis.	11.2	.....	21.4	.....	16.9	.....	9.3	.....
Minneapolis, Minn.	7.1	.....	14.5	.....	13.7	.....	15.8	.....
Omaha, Nebr.	40.7	.....	29.4	.....	30.1	.....	22.4	.....
St. Louis, Mo.	10.2	.....	13.0	.....	13.8	.....	11.3	.....
South Central division:								
Birmingham, Ala.	13.8	.....	14.8	.....	13.6	.....	11.0	.....
Dallas, Tex.	.....	7.0	4.1	.....	.....	0.5	.....	6.2
Little Rock, Ark.	10.1	.....	8.6	.....	3.9	.....	.....	2.4
Louisville, Ky.	19.6	.....	12.6	.....	13.6	.....	.....	6.5
Memphis, Tenn.	19.6	.....	18.2	.....	22.4	.....	6.8	.....
New Orleans, La.	23.9	.....	28.3	.....	19.6	.....	7.7	.....
Western division:								
Denver, Colo.	11.0	.....	22.9	.....	24.4	.....	9.6	.....
Los Angeles, Cal.	9.5	.....	16.7	.....	7.1	.....	7.3	.....
Portland, Oreg.	8.3	.....	4.8	.....	3.2	.....	.....	2.6
Salt Lake City, Utah	21.3	.....	19.9	.....	13.7	.....	.....	.3
San Francisco, Cal.	9.4	.....	.....	0.6	7.1	.....	7.2	.....
Seattle, Wash.	17.7	.....	11.0	.....	18.1	.....	8.6	.....
North Atlantic division	20.8	.....	24.9	.....	24.1	.....	13.7	.....
South Atlantic division	16.5	.....	14.8	.....	14.1	.....	14.8	.....
North Central division	18.2	.....	20.3	.....	18.1	.....	14.6	.....
South Central division	13.1	.....	14.6	.....	12.5	.....	2.3	.....
Western division	13.2	.....	12.4	.....	12.1	.....	5.3	.....
United States	17.1	.....	18.6	.....	17.5	.....	11.2	.....

PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1911, BY CITIES AND GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS—Continued.

City and geographical division.	Bacon, smoked: Price June 15, 1912—		Ham, smoked: Price June 15, 1912—		Lard, pure: Price June 15, 1912—		Hens: Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
North Atlantic division:	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Boston, Mass	.....	1.7	0.5	.....	5.1	.....	7.7	.....
Buffalo, N. Y	.....	6.3	.....	3.9	20.7	.....	.....	1.2
Fall River, Mass	.....	3.2	2.9	.....	24.5	.....	4.7	.....
Manchester, N. H	.....	6.8	10.0	.....	3.5	.....	2.0	.....
Newark, N. J	7.6	.....	6.8	.....	7.4	.....	5.1	.....
New Haven, Conn	.....	2.1	2.6	.....	14.7	.....	11.9	.....
New York, N. Y	.....	.7	7.9	.....	9.9	.....	9.2	.....
Philadelphia, Pa	6.2	.....	6.2	.....	9.3	.....	5.0	.....
Pittsburgh, Pa	1.3	.....	15.2	.....	9.6	.....	.....	2.7
Providence, R. I	.....	3.7	.....	2.6	11.2	.....	9.6	.....
Scranton, Pa	5.6	.....	1.6	.....	8.5	.....	24.2	.....
South Atlantic division:								
Atlanta, Ga	.....	2.8	.....	8.5	8.9	.....	.....	3.8
Baltimore, Md	.9	.....	4.9	.....	22.4	.....	.....	5.1
Charleston, S. C	8.8	.....	22.4	.....	16.3	.....	2.2	.....
Jacksonville, Fla	3.7	.....	.....	2.8	4.9	.....	4.6	.....
Richmond, Va	.....	7.2	1.2	.....	5.3	.....	3.8	.....
Washington, D.C	3.1	.....	2.3	.....	17.7	.....	.....	3.0
North Central division:								
Chicago, Ill	2.3	.....	11.0	.....	8.4	.....	7.7	.....
Cincinnati, Ohio	5.7	.....	8.3	.....	6.0	.....	10.5	.....
Cleveland, Ohio	.....	1.9	4.7	.....	17.7	.....	3.7	.....
Detroit, Mich	7.2	.....	9.1	.....	11.3	.....	16.9	.....
Indianapolis, Ind	4.4	.....	.7	.....	7.5	.....	9.7	.....
Kansas City, Mo	.....	6.0	4.9	.....	9.0	.....	3.1	.....
Milwaukee, Wis	.....	7.1	.....	8.8	6.4	.....	8.1	.....
Minneapolis, Minn	5.4	.....	.....	.6	5.6	.....	12.3	.....
Omaha, Nebr	1.3	.....	11.5	.....	18.0	.....	15.9	.....
St. Louis, Mo	.....	4.3	.....	9.4	17.5	.....	2.2	.....
South Central division:								
Birmingham, Ala	4.8	.....	2.5	.....	11.2	.....	4.2	.....
Dallas, Tex	.....	1.3	.....	2.0	6.6	.....	5.4	.....
Little Rock, Ark	5.3	.....	.2	.....	15.3	.....	.7	.....
Louisville, Ky	.....	18.6	.....	1.4	17.9	.....	5.5	.....
Memphis, Tenn	1.0	.....	.....	3.1	11.4	.....	.....	7.5
New Orleans, La	.....	3.0	.....	.7	11.0	.....	.....	3.0
Western division:								
Denver, Colo	.....	6.5	.3	.....	11.6	.....	4.4	.....
Los Angeles, Cal	2.6	.....	2.6	.....	14.6	.....	.....	3.0
Portland, Oreg	.....	1.9	5.4	.....	4.7	.....	.....	16.4
Salt Lake City, Utah	.....	6.6	.....	5.8	7.0	.....	.....	.6
San Francisco, Cal	.....	1.9	4.1	.....	4.8	.....	(1)	(1)
Seattle, Wash	12.0	.....	7.6	.....	12.8	.....	2.9	.....
North Atlantic division	.....	.2	4.4	.....	11.2	.....	7.1	.....
South Atlantic division	1.3	.....	2.8	.....	12.4	.....	.4	.....
North central division	.7	.....	3.1	.....	10.8	.....	9.3	.....
South central division	.....	2.0	.....	.5	12.6	.....	.....	.7
Western division	.....	.4	2.2	.....	9.6	.....	.....	4.0
United States	.....	.1	2.7	.....	11.3	.....	3.8	.....

[1] No data.

PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1911, BY CITIES AND GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS—Continued.

City and geographical division.	Wheat flour: Price June 15, 1912—		Corn meal: Price June 15, 1912—		Eggs, strictly fresh: Price June 15, 1912—		Butter, creamery: Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
North Atlantic division:	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Boston, Mass.	6.8	.....	1.9	.....	3.7	.....	20.7	.....
Buffalo, N. Y.	20.0	.....	6.8	.....	4.4	.....	17.6	.....
Fall River, Mass.	10.3	.....	.....	1.2	6.7	.....	25.7	.....
Manchester, N. H	8.3	.....	6.2	.....	43.8	.....	31.7	.....
Newark, N. J.	5.2	.....	8.3	.....	11.6	.....	17.7	.....
New Haven, Conn	11.7	.....	6.9	.....	4.8	.....	23.1	.....
New York, N. Y.	6.7	.....	4.4	.....	9.1	.....	9.5	.....
Philadelphia, Pa.	7.3	.....	(1)	(1)	14.9	.....	16.1	.....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	10.0	.....	9.9	.....	.....	5.3	9.0	.....
Providence, R. I.	7.3	.....	30.8	.....	10.9	.....	20.3	.....
Scranton, Pa.	4.2	.....	10.0	.....	14.1	.....	20.5	.....
South Atlantic division:								
Atlanta, Ga.	5.5	.....	25.5	.....	20.4	.....	17.9	.....
Baltimore, Md.	12.3	.....	15.5	.....	22.3	.....	15.5	.....
Charleston, S. C.	13.2	.....	32.8	.....	15.3	.....	14.4	.....
Jacksonville, Fla.	6.6	.....	23.6	.....	3.5	.....	15.7	.....
Richmond, Va.	12.9	.....	6.8	.....	8.9	.....	19.2	.....
Washington, D. C	3.0	.....	13.8	.....	18.0	.....	13.2	.....
North Central division:								
Chicago, Ill.	8.0	.....	(1)	(1)	5.2	.....	4.7	.....
Cincinnati, Ohio.	7.2	.....	13.3	.....	21.0	.....	10.2	.....
Cleveland, Ohio.	15.9	.....	6.9	.....	16.6	.....	9.8	.....
Detroit, Mich.	14.3	.....	2.9	.....	7.7	.....	12.1	.....
Indianapolis, Ind.	12.7	.....	2.3	.....	18.5	.....	17.1	.....
Kansas City, Mo.	7.0	.....	17.3	.....	14.5	.....	14.0	.....
Milwaukee, Wis.	14.4	.....	9.2	.....	(2)	(2)	10.9	.....
Minneapolis, Minn.	18.3	.....	9.0	.....	.....	4.4	13.1	.....
Omaha, Nebr.	13.4	.....	9.4	.....	9.2	.....	9.5	.....
St. Louis, Mo.	12.4	.....	28.7	.....	33.0	.....	21.4	.....
South Central division:								
Birmingham, Ala	7.0	.....	33.1	.....	10.6	.....	18.4	.....
Dallas, Tex.	4.9	.....	15.4	.....	25.0	.....	.....	0.1
Little Rock, Ark.	4.7	.....	17.6	.....	.....	10.5	13.7	.....
Louisville, Ky.	23.5	.....	23.7	.....	20.9	.....	14.3	.....
Memphis, Tenn.	10.8	.....	13.5	.....	8.9	.....	18.2	.....
New Orleans, La.	15.0	.....	27.8	.....	14.8	.....	9.5	.....
Western division:								
Denver, Colo.	12.1	.....	8.6	.....	5.1	.....	17.1	.....
Los Angeles, Cal.	6.6	.....	20.8	.....	4.2	.....	13.7	.....
Portland, Oreg.	5.2	.....	11.9	.....	.....	1.7	6.7	.....
Salt Lake City, Utah	20.1	.....	7.9	.....	.....	1.8	4.5	.....
San Francisco, Cal.	8.7	.....	5.9	.....	.....	1.1	21.9	.....
Seattle, Wash.	.....	0.1	15.9	.....	.....	2.9	11.6	.....
North Atlantic division	8.8	.....	7.6	.....	11.1	.....	19.6	.....
South Atlantic division	9.0	.....	19.7	.....	15.2	.....	16.0	.....
North Central division	12.3	.....	9.8	.....	12.9	.....	12.3	.....
South Central division	12.1	.....	21.8	.....	11.6	.....	12.4	.....
Western division	9.0	.....	11.8	.....	1.4	.....	13.0	.....
United States	10.7	.....	12.7	.....	11.8	.....	15.3	.....

[1] No change. [2] No data.

PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON JUNE 15, 1911, BY CITIES AND GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS—Concluded.

City and geographical division.	Potatoes, Irish: Price June 15, 1912—		Sugar, granulated: Price June 15, 1912—		Milk, fresh: Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
North Atlantic division:						
Boston, Mass	37.8	.....	4.3	.....	9.3	.....
Buffalo, N. Y	48.7	.....	8.8	.....	(1)	(1)
Fall River, Mass	6.3	.....	.....	4.3	14.3	.....
Manchester, N. H	45.1	.....	7.5	.....	(1)	(1)
Newark, N. J	(2)	(2)	6.0	.....	(1)	(1)
New Haven, Conn	23.5	.....	1.1	.....	3.8	.....
New York, N. Y	(2)	(2)	4.2	.....	(1)	(1)
Philadelphia, Pa	27.6	.....	3.4	.....	(1)	(1)
Pittsburgh, Pa	21.4	.....	1.0	.....	.3	.....
Providence, R. I	.....	1.1	7.0	.....	(1)	(1)
Scranton, Pa	.....	15.0	5.7	.....	2.7	.....
South Atlantic division:						
Atlanta, Ga	.....	5.3	5.5	.....	(1)	(1)
Baltimore, Md	38.5	.....	10.9	.....	(1)	(1)
Charleston, S. C	18.0	.....	10.7	.....	6.4	.....
Jacksonville, Fla	46.0	.....	13.4	.....	.....	0.1
Richmond, Va	17.1	.....	6.3	.....	(1)	(1)
Washington, D. C	15.3	.....	11.4	.....	.1	.....
North Central division:						
Chicago, Ill	28.2	.....	.....	3.6	(1)	(1)
Cincinnati, Ohio	32.3	.....	5.1	.....	(1)	(1)
Cleveland, Ohio	43.0	.....	.....	.6	14.3	.....
Detroit, Mich	76.2	.....	7.7	.....	14.2	.....
Indianapolis, Ind	6.9	.....	18.1	.....	(1)	(1)
Kansas City, Mo	.....	6.6	2.7	.....	.....	3.9
Milwaukee, Wis	35.7	.....	6.5	.....	(1)	(1)
Minneapolis, Minn	.9	.....	3.4	.....	16.7	.....
Omaha, Nebr	.....	13.5	6.9	.....	2.5	.....
St. Louis, Mo	.....	30.3	8.7	.....	.....	2.6
South Central division:						
Birmingham, Ala	21.6	.....	8.1	.....	.1	.....
Dallas, Tex	.....	25.2	14.9	.....	(1)	(1)
Little Rock, Ark	.....	9.4	5.3	.....	12.3	.....
Louisville, Ky	27.0	.....	.....	.6	.....	1.8
Memphis, Tenn	15.3	.....	2.5	.....	(1)	(1)
New Orleans, La	11.1	.....	7.3	.....	.....	4.0
Western division:						
Denver, Colo	.....	13.6	11.5	.....	(1)	(1)
Los Angeles, Cal	.....	37.7	5.8	.....	13.1	.....
Portland, Oreg	.....	38.4	1.1	.....	.....	2.0
Salt Lake City, Utah	32.8	.....	4.6	.....	4.0	.....
San Francisco, Cal	.....	14.7	8.8	.....	.....	.2
Seattle, Wash	.....	52.4	11.9	.....	.5	.....
North Atlantic division	18.0	.....	4.3	.....	2.7	.....
South Atlantic division	20.0	.....	9.8	.....	1.1	.....
North Central division	13.0	.....	5.4	.....	3.8	.....
South Central division	5.7	.....	4.5	.....	1.0	.....
Western division	.....	24.7	7.3	.....	2.6	.....
United States	7.6	.....	6.0	.....	2.4	.....

[1] No change. [2] No data.

In order that the course of prices of each of the various articles through a series of years may be studied, relative prices have been computed for each of the 15 articles included in this investigation. These relative prices have also been combined, so that the course of prices as a whole may be seen. No relative prices were computed for three articles for which actual prices are quoted in General Table I, in Part II of this Bulletin. These articles are chuck roast, leg of lamb (yearling), and storage eggs; and the reasons for their omission from the table of relative prices are shown in connection with the explanation of General Table IV, in Part II of this Bulletin.

A relative price, or index number, as it is technically called, of any article is the per cent which the price of that article at any certain date is of the price of the same article at a date or period which has been selected as the base or standard. The value of the relative price is that it enables the reader to follow more readily the course of prices of a single article, and when these relative prices, or index numbers, are combined also to follow the course of prices of groups of articles. The base selected for the compilation of retail prices of food is the average price for the 10-year period 1890 to 1899. This base period is the same as was used by the Bureau in previous reports on retail prices (Eighteenth Annual Report and Bulletin Nos. 59, 65, 71, 77, and 105), in reports on wholesale prices (Bulletin Nos. 39, 45, 51, 57, 63, 69, 75, 81, 87, 93, and 99), and in reports on wages and hours of labor (Nineteenth Annual Report and Bulletin Nos. 59, 65, 71, and 77). The average for the 10-year period is used as the base for the reason that an average price for a number of years more nearly represents normal conditions than does the price for a single year, because of unusual conditions which may prevail in any one year.

The next table shows for each of the five geographical divisions and for the United States as a whole the relative retail prices of food for each year from 1890 to 1911, and also for each month from January, 1911, to June, 1912. In the first section of the table is shown for each of the five geographical divisions and for the United States as a whole the simple average of the relative prices of the 15 articles. In computing the relative prices shown in the second section of the table for each of the five geographical divisions and for the United States the relative price for each of the 15 articles was weighted according to average consumption in workingmen's families in the particular division or in the United States as a whole. The method of weighting relatives is fully explained and illustrated in the report on retail prices published in Bulletin No. 105. The 15 articles represent approximately two-thirds of the average expenditure for food in the average workingman's family, according to the Eighteenth Annual Report of the Commissioner of Labor. The proportion of total expenditures represented by the 15 articles in each geographical divi-

sion and in the United States as a whole, as shown by the Eighteenth Annual Report, was as follows:

	Per cent.
North Atlantic division	64.11
South Atlantic division	66.43
North Central division	63.10
South Central division	67.95
Western division	57.79
United States	63.97

The table of simple and weighted relative retail prices follows:

RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FOOD, SIMPLE AND WEIGHTED AVERAGES, 1890 TO JUNE, 1912, BY GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS.

[Average price for 1890–1899=100.0.]

Year or month.	Simple average of the relative prices of 15 principal articles, shown in detail on pages 18 and 19.						Relative prices, weighted according to the average consumption of the various articles of food in workingmen's families, in each geographical division.					
	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1890	101.7	100.4	102.0	100.6	106.0	102.0	101.9	100.6	101.7	100.9	105.2	101.9
1891	102.7	101.8	104.5	103.2	107.6	103.6	102.1	101.6	104.4	102.8	106.9	103.4
1892	101.7	101.2	101.8	99.9	104.0	101.7	101.8	101.2	101.9	100.1	103.4	101.6
1893	104.8	102.5	106.4	104.2	103.0	104.6	104.4	102.7	106.2	104.2	102.1	104.1
1894	99.4	99.5	100.0	100.3	98.1	99.5	99.2	99.6	99.6	100.4	98.0	99.2
1895	97.2	98.2	97.0	97.8	96.0	97.2	97.2	97.8	97.1	97.9	95.6	97.1
1896	95.7	97.1	93.9	95.4	94.1	94.9	95.9	97.3	94.0	95.7	94.2	95.2
1897	97.3	97.3	95.8	96.6	94.6	96.4	97.4	97.4	96.1	96.9	94.9	96.7
1898	100.3	99.7	99.3	100.4	96.7	99.4	100.2	99.7	99.5	99.9	98.0	99.7
1899	99.7	102.3	99.4	101.8	100.3	100.6	100.0	102.0	99.6	101.3	101.8	100.8
1900	103.0	104.7	102.5	102.2	100.7	102.9	103.0	104.4	102.5	103.1	102.2	103.0
1901	108.9	110.3	110.6	110.5	104.6	109.5	108.0	109.7	109.5	109.7	104.9	108.5
1902	116.2	116.7	117.4	119.3	111.9	116.8	114.0	115.6	115.4	118.7	110.1	114.6
1903	116.3	115.6	117.3	121.4	112.4	116.9	113.7	114.6	115.5	120.3	109.9	114.7
1904	117.6	115.8	118.1	122.2	114.8	118.3	115.5	114.9	116.2	121.1	111.1	116.2
1905	116.8	116.3	118.1	122.4	115.4	118.3	115.0	115.7	116.3	121.3	111.8	116.4
1906	121.4	120.8	122.3	125.8	118.9	122.4	119.1	120.0	120.6	125.0	115.0	120.3
1907	126.4	126.4	127.3	131.7	125.5	128.0	123.9	125.9	126.0	130.9	121.8	125.9
1908	129.2	131.0	133.1	138.8	128.4	132.5	126.5	129.8	131.5	137.5	123.9	130.1
1909	134.7	139.2	141.4	148.3	137.4	140.3	131.2	137.8	139.1	147.1	131.3	137.2
1910	140.3	149.8	149.7	157.8	146.3	148.5	135.2	148.4	147.0	156.7	138.8	144.1
1911	139.3	145.2	146.9	158.6	145.9	146.9	134.9	142.9	144.4	157.0	139.1	143.0
1911.												
January	139.8	148.2	148.7	160.7	148.1	148.2	135.8	147.7	147.0	159.5	142.6	145.0
February	136.2	143.4	144.3	157.1	144.4	144.5	131.3	142.0	141.4	155.6	139.3	140.4
March	134.1	140.9	141.9	153.8	143.6	142.1	128.8	139.1	138.8	152.3	137.1	137.6
April	131.8	138.8	140.7	153.5	142.3	140.6	125.8	136.2	136.5	151.5	134.0	135.3
May	132.3	138.8	141.0	152.8	143.4	140.9	126.1	135.9	136.7	150.6	134.8	135.4
June	136.4	141.8	145.9	156.7	145.4	144.8	130.3	138.0	141.5	154.1	136.3	139.2
July	141.7	148.0	150.4	160.5	147.5	149.4	135.7	142.9	146.2	157.8	138.5	143.7
August	142.7	148.9	149.6	161.4	145.4	149.4	137.3	145.0	146.5	159.1	138.1	144.5
September	143.4	150.2	150.2	160.9	145.1	149.8	138.7	147.2	148.0	159.3	138.7	145.7
October	143.7	148.7	148.0	159.6	147.0	149.1	140.2	147.1	147.1	158.5	141.6	146.2
November	144.3	148.1	149.4	160.4	149.2	149.8	142.8	147.6	149.4	159.7	144.8	148.3
December	144.6	148.4	151.4	163.1	147.5	150.6	144.2	148.5	152.2	162.9	144.0	150.0
1912.												
January	147.9	152.9	155.3	166.7	147.0	153.7	147.6	153.1	156.5	166.2	144.1	153.5
February	147.4	151.3	153.9	162.5	144.6	152.1	146.9	150.5	153.5	161.4	141.8	150.9
March	143.5	147.4	152.7	160.8	147.0	150.4	140.7	145.1	151.0	158.9	142.7	147.6
April	148.8	153.1	159.3	166.7	150.4	156.0	145.5	149.9	158.0	164.7	144.3	152.7
May	151.9	158.0	161.3	168.6	151.0	158.6	148.1	154.3	159.2	166.3	143.6	154.6
June	150.7	157.6	161.9	168.1	150.6	158.1	147.9	153.4	158.7	165.2	143.7	154.0

The last column of the above table shows that the relative price, computed by giving to each of the articles its weight according to average consumption in workingmen's families, was, in 1890, 101.9 per cent of the average price for the 10-year period 1890 to 1899. In 1891 prices advanced to 103.4; in 1892 there was a slight decline to 101.6, in 1893 an advance to 104.1. After this there was a gradual decline until the lowest price (95.2) in the 22 years covered by this report was reached in 1896. From that time each year showed an advance until the highest yearly price (144.1) in the 22 years was reached in 1910. The price (143.0) in 1911 showed a slight decline from 1910, but was higher than in any year from 1890 to 1909. The monthly relative price in January, 1911, was 145.0. There was a decline until 135.3 was reached in April; then an advance each month until January, 1912, when the relative price was 153.5; a decline during each of the next two months; then an advance until 154.6 was reached in May, and then a slight decline to 154.0 in June, 1912.

The column of the above table which gives for the United States the relative price computed as a simple average of the 15 principal articles of food shows that the course of the simple average yearly prices is exactly the same as the course of the weighted, but the simple relative goes lower during the period of low prices and higher during the period of high prices.

The lowest price during the 22½ years was reached in each of the geographical divisions and in the United States as a whole in 1896, both for the simple averages and for the weighted averages. In the North Atlantic division and in the South Atlantic division prices (both simple and weighted averages) reached the highest level in May, 1912. In the North Central division the highest level was reached in June, 1912, according to the simple average, and in May, 1912, according to the weighted average. In the South Central division prices (both simple and weighted averages) reached the highest level in May, 1912. In the Western division the highest level was reached in May, 1912, according to the simple average, and in November, 1911, according to the weighted average. In the United States, considered as a whole, the highest level was reached in May, 1912, both according to the simple average and according to the weighted average.

The next table compares prices in each geographical division and in the United States as a whole on the 15th of each month, January to June, 1912, with prices on the corresponding dates in 1911.

Considering prices in the United States as a whole, the simple average of the relatives for 15 principal articles of food shows the following:

Jan. 15, 1912, compared with Jan. 15, 1911	3.7 per cent advance.
Feb. 15, 1912, compared with Feb. 15, 1911	5.3 per cent advance.
Mar. 15, 1912, compared with Mar. 15, 1911	5.8 per cent advance.
Apr. 15, 1912, compared with Apr. 15, 1911	11.0 per cent advance.
May 15, 1912, compared with May 15, 1911	12.6 per cent advance.
June 15, 1912, compared with June 15, 1911	9.2 per cent advance.

When the relative prices are weighted according to the average consumption of the various articles of food in workingmen's families, the changes in prices within a year were as follows:

Jan. 15, 1912, compared with Jan. 15, 1911	5.9 per cent advance.
Feb. 15, 1912, compared with Feb. 15, 1911	7.5 per cent advance.
Mar. 15, 1912, compared with Mar. 15, 1911	7.3 per cent advance.
Apr. 15, 1912, compared with Apr. 15, 1911	12.9 per cent advance.
May 15, 1912, compared with May 15, 1911	14.2 per cent advance.
June 15, 1912, compared with June 15, 1911	10.6 per cent advance.

The table follows:

PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF ALL ARTICLES OF FOOD FOR WHICH DATA ARE SHOWN IN THIS REPORT: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, SIMPLE AND WEIGHTED AVERAGES, BY GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS.

Geographical divisions.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Simple average of the relative prices of 15 principal articles, shown in detail on pages 18 and 19:						
North Atlantic	5.8	.....	8.2	.....	7.0	.....
South Atlantic	3.2	.....	5.5	.....	4.6	.....
North Central	4.4	.....	6.7	.....	7.6	.....
South Central	3.7	.....	3.4	.....	4.6	.....
Western	.....	0.7	.1	.....	2.4	.....
United States	3.7	.....	5.3	.....	5.8	.....
Relative prices, weighted according to the average consumption of the various articles of food in workingmen's families, in each geographical division:						
North Atlantic	8.7	.....	11.9	.....	9.2	.....
South Atlantic	3.7	.....	6.0	.....	4.3	.....
North Central	6.5	.....	8.6	.....	8.8	.....
South Central	4.2	.....	3.7	.....	4.3	.....
Western	1.1	.....	1.8	.....	4.1	.....
United States	5.9	.....	7.5	.....	7.3	.....

PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF ALL ARTICLES OF FOOD FOR WHICH DATA ARE SHOWN IN THIS REPORT, ETC.—Concluded.

Geographical divisions.	Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
Simple average of the relative prices of 15 principal articles, shown in detail on pages 18 and 19:	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
North Atlantic	12.9	.....	14.8	.....	10.5	.....
South Atlantic	10.3	.....	13.8	.....	11.1	.....
North Central	13.2	.....	14.4	.....	11.0	.....
South Central	8.6	.....	10.3	.....	7.3	.....
Western	5.7	.....	5.3	.....	3.6	.....
United States	11.0	.....	12.6	.....	9.2	.....
Relative prices, weighted according to the average consumption of the various articles of food in workingmen's families, in each geographical division:						
North Atlantic	15.7	.....	17.4	.....	13.5	.....
South Atlantic	10.1	.....	13.5	.....	11.2	.....
North Central	15.8	.....	16.5	.....	12.2	.....
South Central	8.7	.....	10.4	.....	7.2	.....
Western	7.7	.....	6.5	.....	5.4	.....
United States	12.9	.....	14.2	.....	10.6	.....

The relative retail prices in the United States, considered as a whole, of each of the 15 principal articles of food for the 22½ years, 1890 to June, 1912, are presented in the table which follows. General Table IV, in Part II of this Bulletin, shows similar data for the 18 months from January, 1911, to June, 1912, for each of the five geographical divisions. This table shows yearly prices for 1890 to 1911 and prices each month from January, 1911, to June, 1912.

RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD

[Average price for

Year or month.	Sirloin steak.	Round steak.	Rib roast.	Pork chops.	Bacon, smoked.	Ham, smoked.
1890	99.3	97.6	98.7	96.5	96.5	98.3
1891	99.7	98.0	99.6	98.8	97.2	99.5
1892	99.6	98.0	99.6	101.1	99.9	101.5
1893	99.4	98.5	98.4	105.0	108.9	107.1
1894	98.1	97.4	97.9	100.9	102.5	101.7
1895	98.7	98.2	97.9	99.7	98.7	98.9
1896	98.8	100.5	99.4	97.8	96.3	96.5
1897	99.6	101.8	100.1	97.5	97.0	98.5
1898	102.1	102.8	102.2	99.7	100.2	97.2
1899	104.4	107.0	106.1	103.2	102.9	100.5
1900	107.1	109.8	109.3	108.9	110.3	106.9
1901	109.4	114.0	112.7	119.0	121.3	111.1
1902	114.6	122.3	118.6	127.8	135.9	120.6
1903	110.6	116.8	117.0	126.1	140.4	122.1
1904	111.0	120.8	117.0	123.1	138.5	119.4
1905	110.6	120.0	116.2	125.0	139.3	119.4
1906	114.2	124.4	120.5	135.9	150.5	127.8
1907	116.7	128.4	123.0	140.9	157.7	131.0
1908	119.9	135.5	126.7	144.6	163.2	133.8
1909	126.1	140.6	132.2	158.7	176.4	142.1
1910	134.0	149.9	137.7	178.3	204.4	159.4
1911	134.9	152.6	138.6	170.3	197.2	155.9
1911.						
January	134.0	150.9	137.8	170.5	203.5	155.4
February	133.7	151.1	138.0	168.4	201.1	154.8
March	134.3	152.5	138.7	167.6	198.6	153.8
April	134.3	153.0	139.8	167.4	196.5	153.4
May	135.8	154.2	140.0	166.8	196.9	154.3
June	136.2	155.1	139.4	167.3	196.8	157.0
July	136.8	154.6	138.4	171.0	199.3	160.5
August	137.3	154.7	138.9	180.7	200.1	162.3
September	135.8	153.2	138.8	183.4	199.4	159.8
October	133.9	151.7	137.9	179.1	193.2	157.4
November	133.0	149.8	137.2	160.8	190.7	153.1
December	132.8	149.6	137.4	155.4	187.8	150.9
1912.						
January	137.1	154.1	140.7	164.0	186.1	151.1
February	137.7	155.3	141.7	157.6	183.5	150.5
March	140.1	158.1	143.6	166.3	183.3	150.9
April	146.9	167.3	150.4	185.6	190.2	155.3
May	157.3	179.9	160.5	188.2	195.5	159.7
June	159.5	184.0	163.8	186.0	196.7	161.3

IN THE UNITED STATES, 1890 TO JUNE, 1912, BY ARTICLES.

1890-1899=100.0.]

Lard, pure.	Hens.	Wheat flour.	Corn meal.	Eggs, strictly fresh.	Butter, creamery.	Potatoes, Irish.	Sugar, granulated.	Milk, fresh.
98.5	102.8	110.2	101.3	100.3	99.2	109.0	120.8	100.4
100.0	104.8	112.4	111.5	105.6	105.7	117.1	103.1	100.5
104.4	104.2	104.0	107.7	105.3	106.8	95.4	96.9	100.5
119.2	104.3	95.1	104.0	105.5	108.6	111.8	102.6	100.5
106.4	98.2	88.3	104.4	97.4	102.0	101.8	95.2	100.3
99.8	97.3	89.6	101.0	98.8	97.4	90.6	91.8	99.4
92.1	96.1	94.2	92.8	90.3	93.1	78.8	96.2	100.1
89.0	92.3	104.7	91.2	94.0	93.7	92.5	94.3	100.0
93.5	96.8	106.9	92.9	97.9	95.8	103.9	99.7	99.8
97.1	103.4	94.8	92.9	101.6	97.6	98.8	99.6	98.8
104.9	99.6	94.6	95.6	99.1	101.2	92.8	103.9	100.0
119.6	105.0	94.9	107.6	107.7	103.0	114.0	102.1	101.4
135.6	113.6	95.6	123.9	119.4	109.8	116.7	92.8	104.1
126.0	119.3	102.1	122.1	125.1	110.2	114.7	93.7	107.4
116.3	120.6	118.3	122.9	131.1	108.1	119.0	100.4	107.4
115.8	123.6	118.6	123.5	131.3	111.4	109.3	101.8	108.1
127.3	128.0	108.3	124.5	134.2	118.3	114.6	97.2	110.0
133.5	131.3	118.2	133.5	138.2	127.3	122.2	98.7	118.9
134.3	134.9	127.1	142.6	142.8	127.9	129.8	101.3	123.2
150.5	145.7	138.1	145.7	154.7	134.3	133.4	100.0	126.2
172.9	155.0	135.9	147.9	158.2	139.9	119.5	102.5	131.6
145.3	151.6	127.9	147.2	150.2	131.3	157.0	111.1	132.7
161.1	154.7	130.3	144.6	185.1	140.7	119.2	99.9	135.1
158.5	155.5	129.2	144.6	145.9	133.1	119.0	98.9	135.2
151.4	156.9	127.5	143.7	123.6	128.1	121.2	99.5	134.2
145.2	158.7	126.2	144.5	112.9	117.8	126.5	99.9	132.3
140.9	156.1	125.9	145.1	110.4	114.8	142.5	100.9	129.6
139.5	152.3	125.8	145.2	112.8	115.6	196.9	102.4	129.8
138.6	151.9	125.8	146.9	122.1	119.4	240.1	105.3	129.9
139.8	150.1	126.7	148.7	133.0	126.2	197.6	115.0	130.5
142.6	149.4	127.6	149.5	146.7	131.0	167.8	130.2	131.5
142.5	147.3	129.5	151.2	163.4	138.9	144.1	132.2	133.8
142.6	143.2	130.2	152.3	196.2	149.7	149.0	124.9	134.9
141.3	142.9	129.5	151.9	207.3	159.5	159.0	118.2	135.0
141.2	151.4	130.1	152.9	202.9	166.9	177.8	115.1	134.8
141.1	153.4	130.7	153.3	185.1	156.0	185.4	114.5	135.0
141.2	159.9	131.0	153.7	130.3	145.5	202.1	115.6	134.6
145.6	163.6	132.7	157.6	125.9	148.4	224.7	111.4	134.0
152.6	162.2	138.4	163.0	123.8	143.4	211.6	109.1	133.2
155.3	158.1	139.3	163.7	126.1	133.3	211.9	108.5	132.9

In the above table, as in the preceding table of relative prices, the average price for the 10-year period, 1890 to 1899, is the base, or 100. The figures in the column for round steak, for example, indicate that if the price of round steak for the 10-year period, 1890 to 1899, be considered 100, the price in 1890 was 97.6, or 2.4 per cent below the average for 1890 to 1899; the price in 1900 was 109.8, or 9.8 per cent above the average for 1890 to 1899; the price on June 15, 1912, was 184.0, or 84.0 per cent above the average price for 1890 to 1899, etc.

In connection with the price quotations furnished the Bureau of Labor each month, the retail merchants are invited to state "the cause of any material advance or decline in the price of any article since the middle of last month." Quite a number of the merchants are supplying such statements, and many of them are of much value in studying prices. A few of the statements accompanying June price reports follow. The name of the city but not of the dealer is shown.

BALTIMORE.—"If the present high prices prevail much longer in the wholesale market, I do not know what will become of the retail dealers."

BOSTON.—"Cheap sirloins are so high and poor that I am not cutting any at present. Both grades of cattle have gone up, and the above prices just about let me out without profit."

BOSTON.—"Beef, especially on cheaper cuts, 10 to 20 per cent higher."

BOSTON.—"I do not know the cause of the advance in the price of meats, and the high price of meats is causing us to close our place of business on or about July 4."

CHICAGO.—"Jobbing price on flour has advanced 80 cents per barrel, and unless there is a decline in the near future retail price will also advance."

INDIANAPOLIS.—"Meat steadily advancing. Beef has gone up 5 cents per pound within the last 30 days."

NEW HAVEN.—"Beginning this week we will advance 2 cents per pound on all meats, as we are paying the highest price for beef and lambs in my time. I can not say the reason of this high cost of meat; the jobber blames the farmer; the farmer blames the high price of corn. * * *"

NEW YORK.—"Meats in general are so high if prices continue much longer will be obliged to close up business. Have already lost about $200 since advance in prices."

PHILADELPHIA.—"No money in meats at the above prices."

PHILADELPHIA.—"The drop in butter is seasonable, although for some reason not as low as it ought to be for this time of year."

PHILADELPHIA.—"We paid (Monday, June 17) 15½ cents per pound for rumps and rounds and 11½ cents per pound for chucks of beef, the highest price in the history of our business. * * *"

SALT LAKE CITY.—"Everything seems to be at the top, but nothing shows any decline."

A few of the remarks accompanying the price reports for May 15 follow:

ATLANTA.—"The wholesale cost of several items has advanced—fresh meats, flour, and butter—but we are still holding at old prices."

BOSTON.—"Probably this is the last month we will be in the provision business. The high prices of meats are driving us out of business. We have been in business 15 years, but must get out before we are put out."

CINCINNATI.—"The recent floods have had the effect of sending cattle to market before their maturity, and grain being the highest in years has had the tendency to give us the highest meat we have handled in many years. Until the grass cattle begin to come in, which is about six weeks hence, we can look for no drop in prices. This morning (May 15) we paid 8¼ cents per pound for steer cattle. Ten years ago the same cattle cost us 5¼ cents per pound."

FALL RIVER.—"The high prices of meats have cut our meat business almost in two. The cheaper cuts, which we ordinarily sell for 6 to 10 cents per pound, now we have to get 10 to 14 cents."

INDIANAPOLIS.—"* * * Meat prices have made a sharp advance owing to the scarcity in the grades of meat that we have been selling (good medium grades) and have been compelled to handle higher-priced meats."

INDIANAPOLIS.—"Owing to the high price of feed, the milk supply this month is the lowest for May on record."

LOS ANGELES.—"The decline of price on potatoes is due to speculators losing their grip on the market. Shipments have arrived from other States, and as new potatoes will come in freely in a few weeks, they had to let go."

MEMPHIS.—"The price of meats has advanced. I was compelled to advance my prices on same. I have paid more for meats this year than I ever paid since I have been in business. I don't see any change for some time to come."

MILWAUKEE.—"We were compelled to raise our price of beef because of the raise in the wholesale price."

NEW HAVEN.—"These prices given for meats are not sufficient to cover cost; as I am expecting a drop in price do not want to put up prices to extreme."

PITTSBURGH.—"Good beef is scarce and high, and is cause of driving other meat up. Long, severe winter and high price of grain supposed to be the reason."

PITTSBURGH.—"Am buying milk cheaper this month, therefore can sell cheaper."

PORTLAND.—"Raise of prices for beef and pork is due to shortage of stock."

SALT LAKE CITY.—"Tendency still upward. Sugar 20 cents advance; flour also 20 cents advance since last report. Both fresh and canned meats still advancing wholesale."

BREAD WEIGHTS.

This report includes scaling weights (weights of dough before baking) on the 15th of January, February, March, April, May, and June, 1912, of some 280 principal brands of baker's wheat bread as reported by more than 140 bakers. Reports were secured from a few bakeries showing bread weights on corresponding dates in 1911. Comparisons of weights on June 15, 1912, and June 15, 1911, are available for 60 brands, and of that number the weight of 4 brands was heavier on June 15, 1912, than on the corresponding date in 1911, the weight of 27 brands was unchanged, and the weight of 29 brands was lighter.

The weights of wheat bread shown in General Table II, in Part II of this Bulletin, were reported by several representative bakeries in each city. In order to avoid identification, names of firms and brands are not disclosed, but each firm has been given a number and each brand reported by a firm has been designated by a letter.

A few of the remarks accompanying the bakers' reports of bread weights on June 15, follows:

BALTIMORE.—"Sharp advance in cost of flour."

DENVER.—"Materials on the increase."

FALL RIVER.—"Reductions in weight caused by higher cost of materials."

COAL.

Comparing retail prices of coal in ton lots, for household use, on January 15, 1912, with prices on January 15, 1911, the average advance for 30 cities on Pennsylvania anthracite white ash, stove size, was 0.6 per cent; the average advance for 28 cities on Pennsylvania anthracite white ash, chestnut size, was 1.5 per cent; and the average decline for 32 cities on bituminous was 1 per cent.

Comparing retail prices of coal in ton lots, for household use, on April 15, 1912, with prices on April 15, 1911, the average advance for 29 cities on Pennsylvania anthracite white ash, stove size, was 6.4 per cent; the average advance for 27 cities on Pennsylvania anthracite white ash, chestnut size, was 7.2 per cent; and the average advance for 32 cities on bituminous was 3.2 per cent.

The table which follows compares, for each of the cities for which data were secured, prices on January 15, 1912, with prices on January 15, 1911, and also prices on April 15, 1912, with prices on April 15, 1911. Three descriptions of coal are included—Pennsylvania anthracite white ash, stove size; Pennsylvania anthracite white ash, chestnut size; and bituminous. The comparisons are of prices of coal for household use and sold in ton lots. General Table V, in Part II of this Bulletin, shows actual prices of the three descriptions of coal above named, in ton lots, in half-ton lots, and in lots of less than one-fourth ton.

The price on April 15, 1912, as compared with the price on April 15, 1911, was higher for Pennsylvania anthracite, stove size, in 25 out of 29 cities from which reports were secured, and there was no change in price in the remaining 4 cities. During the same period, Pennsylvania anthracite, chestnut size, advanced in 25 out of 27 cities, and the price remained unchanged in 2 cities; and bituminous advanced in 17 out of 32 cities, the price remained unchanged in 12 cities, and declined in 3 cities.

In the North Atlantic division Pennsylvania anthracite white ash coal, stove size, was 11.3 per cent higher on April 15, 1912, than on April 15, 1911; Pennsylvania anthracite white ash, chestnut size, was 11.9 per cent higher; and bituminous was 11 per cent higher.

PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF COAL IN TON LOTS FOR HOUSEHOLD USE: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS.

City and geographical division.	Pennsylvania anthracite white ash.								Bituminous.			
	Stove.				Chestnut.							
	Price Jan. 15, 1912.		Price Apr. 15, 1912.		Price Jan. 15, 1912.		Price Apr. 15, 1912.		Price Jan. 15, 1912.		Price Apr. 15, 1912.	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
North Atlantic division:												
Boston, Mass	2.1	.....	8.6	.....	3.4	.....	12.0	.....	0.1	.....	18.9	.....
Buffalo, N. Y	(1)	(1)	8.5	.....	(1)	(1)	8.2	.....	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Fall River, Mass	6.4	.....	16.6	.....	8.9	.....	19.0	.....	(1)	(1)	10.0	.....
Manchester, N. H	(1)	(1)	9.8	.....	3.1	.....	11.2	.....	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Newark, N. J	(1)	(1)	8.7	.....	(1)	(1)	8.3	.....	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
New Haven, Conn	(1)	(1)	20.6	.....	(1)	(1)	20.6	.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
New York, N. Y	.8	.....	12.4	.....	.4	.....	11.7	.....	(1)	(1)	9.5	.....
Philadelphia, Pa	1.1	.....	7.6	.....	3.0	.....	6.9	.....	1.7	.....	9.7	.....
Pittsburgh, Pa	.....	3.4	.3	.....	.....	2.3	1.4	.....	4.6	.....	5.2	.....
Providence, R. I	(1)	(1)	19.4	.....	2.3	.....	20.0	.....	(1)	(1)	23.5	.....
South Atlantic division:												
Baltimore, Md	(1)	(1)	9.1	.....	2.3	.....	8.8	.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Jacksonville, Fla	(1)	(1)	6.7	.....	(1)	(1)	6.7	.....	4.6	.....	4.6	.....
Richmond, Va	3.6	.....	3.6	.....	3.6	.....	3.6	.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Washington, D. C	(1)	(1)	7.4	.....	3.4	.....	7.5	.....	(1)	(1)	.3	.....
North Central division:												
Chicago, Ill	(1)	(1)	4.6	.....	1.1	.....	5.7	.....	(1)	(1)	19.1	.....
Cincinnati, Ohio	.....	1.2	5.1	.....	.....	1.2	5.1	.....	.....	5.6	.1	.....
Cleveland, Ohio	3.6	.....	5.5	.....	3.4	.....	5.3	.....	.8	.....	.8	.....
Detroit, Mich	(1)	(1)	1.4	.....	2.0	.....	2.8	.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Indianapolis, Ind	1.0	.....	7.4	.....	.5	.....	7.8	.....	.....	3.4	10.5	.....
Kansas City, Mo	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	1.3	.....	(1)	(1)
Milwaukee, Wis	(1)	(1)	6.3	.....	.5	.....	6.7	.....	.....	2.2	(1)	(1)
Minneapolis, Minn	(1)	(1)	5.9	.....	.8	.....	4.9	.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Omaha, Nebr	(1)	(1)	1.0	.....	(1)	(1)	1.0	.....	1.0	.....	1.0	.....
St. Louis, Mo	(1)	(1)	3.4	.....	2.3	.....	4.0	.....	.....	1.7	.1	.....
South Central division:												
Birmingham, Ala	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(1)	(1)	3.1	.....
Dallas, Tex	3.8	.....	(2)	(2)	3.8	.....	(2)	(2)	.....	3.3	2.3	.....
Little Rock, Ark	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	.....	7.7	.....	7.7
Louisville, Ky	(1)	(1)	4.9	.....	(1)	(1)	4.9	.....	.....	14.5	.5	.....
Memphis, Tenn	(1)	(1)	1.6	.....	(1)	(1)	1.6	.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
New Orleans, La	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Western division:												
Denver, Colo	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Los Angeles, Cal	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	.....	3.5	.....	3.5
Salt Lake City, Utah	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
San Francisco, Cal	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	.....	5.0	.....	5.0
Seattle, Wash	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
North Atlantic division	.7	.....	11.3	.....	1.9	.....	11.9	.....	.9	.....	11.0	.....
South Atlantic division	.9	.....	6.7	.....	2.3	.....	6.7	.....	1.2	.....	1.2	.....
North Central division	.3	.....	4.1	.....	.9	.....	4.3	.....	.....	1.0	3.2	.....
South Central division	1.0	.....	2.2	.....	1.0	.....	2.2	.....	.....	4.2	.....	.3
Western division	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	.....	1.7	.....	1.7
United States	.6	.....	6.4	.....	1.5	.....	7.2	.....	.....	1.0	3.2	.....

[1] No change. [2] No data.

GAS.

Net prices of gas for household use are shown in this report for April 15, 1912, and for purposes of comparison, prices on April 15, 1911, are also given. Prices are reported for manufactured gas from 54 companies in 36 cities; for natural gas from 9 companies in 5 cities; and for mixed manufactured and natural gas from 1 company.

Only 8 companies reported any change in price on April 15, 1912, as compared with April 15, 1911. Seven companies supplying manufactured gas reduced prices and 1 company supplying natural gas increased prices, as follows:

Boston, Mass.:
Company C, reduced price from $0.90 to $0.85.
Washington, D. C.:
Company B, reduced price from $1.00 to $0.85.
Chicago, Ill, price reduced from $0.85 to $0.80.
Detroit, Mich.:
Company A, reduced price from $0.80 to $0.75.
Milwaukee, Wis., price reduced from $0.80 to $0.75.
New Orleans, La., price reduced from $1.15 to $1.10.
Denver, Colo., price reduced from $0.90 to $0.85.
Kansas City, Mo., natural-gas price increased from $0.25 to $0.27.

The net price per thousand cubic feet charged on April 15, 1911, and on April 15, 1912, by each of the companies reporting, is shown in the table which follows:

NET PRICE PER THOUSAND CUBIC FEET OF GAS, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON APRIL 15, 1911, AND ON APRIL 15, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY COMPANIES.

MANUFACTURED GAS.

City and company.	Price per 1,000 cubic feet.		City and company.	Price per 1,000 cubic feet.	
	Apr. 15, 1911.	Apr. 15, 1912.		Apr. 15, 1911.	Apr. 15, 1912.
NORTH ATLANTIC DIVISION.			NORTH ATLANTIC DIV.—con.		
Boston, Mass:			Philadelphia, Pa.:		
Company A	$0.80	$0.80	Company A	$1.00	$1.00
Company B	.85	.85	Company B	1.00	1.00
Company C	.90	.85	Pittsburgh, Pa.:		
Buffalo, N. Y	1.00	1.00	Company A[1]	1.00	1.00
Fall River, Mass	.80	.80	Company B	1.00	1.00
Manchester, N. H	1.10	1.10	Providence, R. I	.90	.90
Newark, N. J	1.00	1.00	Scranton, Pa.:		
New Haven, Conn	.95	.95	Company A	.95	.95
New York, N. Y.:			Company B	1.20	1.20
Company A	.80	.80	SOUTH ATLANTIC DIVISION.		
Company B	.80	.80	Atlanta, Ga	1.00	1.00
Company C	1.00	1.00	Baltimore, Md	.90	.90
Company D	1.00	1.00	Charleston, S. C	1.20	1.20
Company E	.80	.80	Jacksonville, Fla	1.25	1.25
Company F	.80	.80	Richmond, Va	.90	.90
Company G	.80	.80	Washington, D. C.:		
Company H	.80	.80	Company A	.85	.85
Company I	.80	.80	Company B	1.00	.85
Company J	.80	.80			

[1] For lighting purposes only.

NET PRICE PER THOUSAND CUBIC FEET OF GAS, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON APRIL 15, 1911, AND ON APRIL 15, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY COMPANIES—Concluded.

MANUFACTURED GAS—Concluded.

City and company.	Price per 1,000 cubic feet.		City and company.	Price per 1,000 cubic feet.	
	Apr. 15, 1911.	Apr. 15, 1912.		Apr. 15, 1911.	Apr. 15, 1912.
NORTH CENTRAL DIVISION.			SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION.		
Chicago, Ill.	$0.85	$0.80	Birmingham, Ala.	$1.00	$1.00
Cleveland, Ohio	.80	.80	Little Rock, Ark.	1.25	(1)
Detroit, Mich.:			Louisville, Ky.[2]	1.00	1.00
Company A	.80	.75	Memphis, Tenn.	1.00	1.00
Company B	.80	.80	New Orleans, La.	1.15	1.10
Indianapolis, Ind.:			WESTERN DIVISION.		
Company A	.60	.60	Denver, Colo.	.90	.85
Company B	.60	.60	Los Angeles, Cal.:		
Milwaukee, Wis.	.80	.75	Company A	.80	.80
Minneapolis, Minn.	.85	.85	Company B	.75	.75
Omaha, Nebr.	1.15	1.15	Portland, Oreg.	.95	.95
St. Louis, Mo.	.80	.80	Salt Lake City, Utah[3]	1.30	1.30
			San Francisco, Cal.	[4] .92½	[4] .92½
			Seattle, Wash.	1.00	1.00

[1] Natural gas distributed after July, 1911.
[2] Price 75 cents for cooking and heating purposes.
[3] Price 90 cents for cooking and heating purposes.
[4] Gross rate.

NATURAL GAS.

City and company.	Price per 1,000 cubic feet.		City and company.	Price per 1,000 cubic feet.	
	Apr. 15, 1911.	Apr. 15, 1912.		Apr. 15, 1911.	Apr. 15, 1912.
NORTH ATLANTIC DIVISION.			Pittsburgh, Pa.—Concluded.		
Buffalo, N. Y.[1]	$0.30	$0.30	Company G	$0.27½	$0.27½
Pittsburgh, Pa.:			NORTH CENTRAL DIVISION.		
Company C[1]	.27½	.27½	Cincinnati, Ohio	.30	.30
Company D	.27½	.27½	Cleveland, Ohio[1]	.30	.30
Company E	.27½	.27½	Kansas City, Mo.	.25	.27
Company F[1]	.27½	.27½			

[1] For cooking and heating purposes only.

MANUFACTURED AND NATURAL GAS, MIXED.

City.	Price per 1,000 cubic feet.	
	Apr. 15, 1911.	Apr. 15, 1912.
SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION.		
Louisville, Ky.[1]	$0.65	$0.65

[1] For cooking and heating purposes only.

EXPLANATION OF SCOPE AND METHOD.

This report presents for each of 39 of the most important industrial cities in the various sections of the United States the retail prices of the principal articles of food, the weight of the principal brands of wheat bread, the retail prices of anthracite and bituminous coal, and the net price of gas for household use.

The cities included are important industrial cities representing 32 States. In a general way the cities selected were those having the largest population in the section of the country in which located, but in addition two smaller cities were included—Fall River, which is a textile center in Massachusetts, and Scranton, which is situated in the anthracite-coal section of Pennsylvania. Within the 39 cities live one-fifth of the total number of people, two-fifths of the urban population, and approximately one-third of the total number engaged in gainful occupations (not including those in agricultural pursuits) in continental United States.

The cities included and the number of firms or companies in each city furnishing information for this report are as follows:

NUMBER OF FIRMS OR COMPANIES FURNISHING INFORMATION, BY CITIES.

City.	Number of retail merchants reporting prices of principal articles of food.	Number of bakeries reporting weight of principal brands of wheat bread.	Number of coal dealers reporting prices of coal for household use.	Number of gas companies reporting prices of gas for household use.	City.	Number of retail merchants reporting prices of principal articles of food.	Number of bakeries reporting weight of principal brands of wheat bread.	Number of coal dealers reporting prices of coal for household use.	Number of gas companies reporting prices of gas for household use.
Atlanta, Ga	16	3	.....	1	Milwaukee, Wis	19	5	6	1
Baltimore, Md	21	3	4	1	Minneapolis, Minn	16	5	7	1
Birmingham, Ala	16	2	4	1	Newark, N. J	14	2	7	1
Boston, Mass	16	3	8	3	New Haven, Conn	11	3	7	1
Buffalo, N. Y	20	3	2	2	New Orleans, La	23	4	4	1
Charleston, S. C	21	2	.....	1	New York, N. Y	37	9	9	9
Chicago, Ill	24	4	3	1	Omaha, Nebr	13	(1)	5	1
Cincinnati, Ohio	20	5	6	1	Philadelphia, Pa	25	2	10	2
Cleveland, Ohio	19	6	6	1	Pittsburgh, Pa	18	3	5	7
Dallas, Tex	13	4	4	.....	Portland, Oreg	19	5	.....	1
Denver, Colo	13	3	5	1	Providence, R. I	13	3	3	1
Detroit, Mich	17	5	5	2	Richmond, Va	17	4	4	1
Fall River, Mass	17	2	3	1	St. Louis, Mo	12	3	4	1
Indianapolis, Ind	13	3	6	2	Salt Lake City, Utah	15	4	4	1
Jacksonville, Fla	14	5	2	1	San Francisco, Cal	24	3	5	1
Kansas City, Mo	15	4	4	1	Scranton, Pa	18	4	.....	1
Little Rock, Ark	16	4	1	1	Seattle, Wash	17	4	2	1
Los Angeles, Cal	17	5	2	2	Washington, D. C	13	3	9	2
Louisville, Ky	13	3	5	2					
Manchester, N. H	12	4	2	1	Total	675	142	168	61
Memphis, Tenn	17	3	5	1					

[1] Weight of bread fixed by city ordinance.

FOOD.

The present report gives retail prices of the principal articles of food in 39 industrial cities in the United States for the 15th of January, February, March, April, May, and June, 1912, and for comparative purposes the prices on the corresponding dates of 1911. Summaries are also presented covering the 22½ years from 1890 to June, 1912, inclusive. Previous investigations of retail prices have been made and published by the Bureau of Labor, as follows: Eighteenth Annual Report, covering 1890 to 1903; Bulletin No. 59, covering 1904; Bulletin No. 65, covering 1905; Bulletin No. 71, covering 1906; Bulletin No. 77, covering 1907; Bulletin No. 105, covering 1907 to 1911.

The retail dealers who kindly furnished information for this report were selected through personal visits of agents of the Bureau of Labor, and are those selling largely to the families of American, English, Irish, German, and Scandinavian wage earners. A comparatively few "down-town" stores are included, but the neighborhood stores predominate. So-called "cut-rate" stores are not included. "Chain stores" (a number of stores in one city owned or controlled by one firm) are not included except in a very few cities where such stores are so numerous that they form a very important factor in the city's trade. The stores selected, with a very few exceptions, deliver all purchases when requested.

After the agent of the Bureau had selected a store arrangements were made for the retail merchant to send to the Bureau a statement of prices of the various commodities on or about the 15th of each succeeding month. Return visits to the various firms are made by agents of the Bureau whenever inquiries concerning the monthly price quotations make this necessary.

The grade of articles quoted is that sold in each city in stores patronized largely by families of American, English, Irish, German, and Scandinavian wage earners.

The Bureau has not attempted to quote prices for an article of identical grade throughout the 39 cities. For almost every article this would be absolutely impossible, as the grade varies not only from city to city, but also from firm to firm within the same city, and the grade even varies to some extent from month to month within the same store. Stores which vary in a marked degree from day to day or month to month the grade of articles handled have not been included, but in every store there is necessarily some variation in grade.

Brief descriptions of each of the articles and necessary explanations concerning each were presented in the report printed in Bulletin 105 (pp. 39 to 45), of the Bureau of Labor. A few additions to those descriptions and explanations are necessary in this report.

Chuck roast.

Chuck roast has been added to the list of articles. This is a cut of beef from the forequarter, which includes five ribs and part of the shoulder blade and extends from the neck to the point where the "chuck" is separated from the "ribs." The prices quoted are for the best cut, which is next to the butt end of the "ribs." No relative prices have been computed for chuck roast.

Wheat flour.

The name of the brand quoted has been entered in connection with the price. Where a merchant has quoted a brand which carries his firm name, the flour has been entered as "special brand," in order not to disclose the identity of firms who are furnishing information to the Bureau.

Storage eggs.

Prices are quoted for storage eggs for the months of January and February. Some few firms continued to quote "storage" eggs for the spring months, but those quotations have not been entered, as it appeared that in some cases, at least, the article quoted as "storage" during the spring months was eggs "iced in transit," and not eggs that had been in storage. No relative prices have been computed for storage eggs.

Milk.

In connection with the price quotations, this report indicates whether the milk is sold "raw" or "pasteurized."

BREAD WEIGHTS.

The weights of wheat bread, tabulated separately by cities, firms, and brands, for January to June, 1912, are the weights at which the respective breads were scaled on the 15th of each of the indicated months, and, where available, corresponding information for the same months of 1911 is shown for comparison. This scaling weight is the weight of the loaf before baking. While it would be highly desirable to present the weight of the loaf as actually purchased by the consumer, the complications involved in the relation of the scaled weight to the weight of the bread when it passes over the retailer's counter were found to be such that it was impossible to do so. The loss of weight in baking varies with the formula, with the style of loaf, and with the temperature of the oven. A further element of uncertainty affecting weights enters before the consumer actually gets the loaf. The weight, of course, varies with the time intervening between the removal of the loaf from the oven and its final distribution to the

consumer, the loss by evaporation also being partly determined by the conditions under which the bread is kept and by the state of the atmosphere.

The customary loss in baking is variously estimated by bakers, but it may be said that a loaf scaled at 18 ounces will, when cold, if handled under ordinary conditions, weigh not far from 16 ounces, and a loaf scaled at 16 ounces will, when baked and cooled, weigh about 14½ ounces. As noted above, however, the range of loss varies widely.

From Table II, in Part II of this Bulletin, for each city, all fancy, special, graham, rye, and restaurant breads are excluded. All wrapped and so-called "French" breads are so designated.

In the use of these tables it must be borne clearly in mind that weight is only one factor entering into the bread question as an element in the study of prices. The quality of materials used varies widely and is likely to be reflected in the weight at which the loaf is scaled.

It is hoped that at some future time it may be possible to present baked weights as well as scaled weights; but, as already explained in the present report, this was impracticable. The scaled weight tabulated is an accurate statement of the average weight of the loaves of each brand on the specified date.

The most representative bakeries in every city included in this report have promptly furnished to the Bureau of Labor information concerning bread weights on the 15th of each month.

COAL.

This report gives prices of coal, for household use, on the 15th of January and April, 1912, and for comparative purposes prices are also entered for the corresponding dates in 1911. The prices shown are those quoted by the retail trade for household use. The table of prices shows Pennsylvania anthracite white ash coal, both in stove size and in chestnut size; bituminous coal, of several kinds; and in a few cities other varieties, such as Colorado, Welsh, and Australian coals. Prices are quoted for sales "in ton lots," "in half-ton lots," and "in lots of less than one-fourth ton." The prices were quoted by coal dealers, who kindly supplied the information at the request of the Bureau of Labor. In some cities practically all sales for household use were of anthracite coal, and in other cities of bituminous coal. The coal dealers in each city were asked to quote prices on the kind of bituminous coal usually sold for household use. The prices quoted are for coal delivered to customers, but do not include charges for storing in cellar or coal bin except when noted.

GAS.

This report gives prices of gas, for household use, on the 15th of April, 1912, and for purposes of comparison the price on the corresponding date in 1911 has been entered. The prices quoted are the net rates charged for gas for household use as distinguished from use by manufacturing plants and industrial establishments. The prices are the same for gas for illuminating, cooking, and heating purposes, except as noted in the table. Prices are in most cases for manufactured gas, but natural gas has also been quoted where that is in general use. The data were furnished by the gas companies, who kindly responded to the Bureau's request for this information.

Part II of this report includes five general tables, as follows:

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Table II.—Bread weights: Scaling weight (weight of dough before baking), in ounces, of the principal brands of wheat bread on the 15th of each month, January to June, 1911, and January to June, 1912, by cities and by firms and brands.

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PART II.

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Part I of this report presents a summary of the complete report and covers retail prices of the principal articles of food from 1890 to June, 1912, retail prices of coal, for household use, from 1907 to June, 1912, and net prices of gas, for household use, from 1907 to June, 1912.

Part II presents general tables showing actual prices of the principal articles of food, weights of the principal brands of wheat bread and actual prices of coal for the first six months of 1911 and the first six months of 1912.

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most important industrial cities in the various sections of the United States. For each city prices are quoted for 18 principal articles of food. Prices are quoted for the 15th of each month, January to June, 1912, and for comparative purposes prices on the corresponding dates in 1911 have been entered. When the 15th fell on Sunday or on a holiday the prices quoted were for either the 14th or the 16th of the month. Prices for storage eggs are quoted only for January and February of each year.

The 39 cities are arranged in alphabetical order, and under the various cities the 18 articles follow a uniform order, beginning with fresh meats. The particular grade or description of each article is shown in connection with the price quotations. Great care was taken to secure prices throughout the period covered for an article of as nearly uniform grade or quality as possible within each store, as changes in quality are, of course, reflected in prices.

Price quotations were secured from several firms in each city. In order to avoid identification, names of firms are not disclosed, but each firm has been given a number which enables one to follow the prices quoted throughout the period for which a firm has been furnishing price quotations, either for the present report or for the preceding report in this series, covering the period 1907 to 1911.

Three articles are included in this table which are not carried into the tables showing relative prices of food. These articles are chuck roast, leg of lamb (yearling), and storage eggs.

Table II.—Bread weights: Scaling weight (weight of dough before baking) in ounces of the principal brands of wheat bread on the 15th of each month, January to June, 1911, and January to June, 1912, by cities and by firms and brands (pp. 141 to 151).—This table shows the scaling weight in ounces of the principal brands of wheat bread in the cities covered by this report. The weights are quoted for the 15th of each month, January to June, 1912, and for comparative purposes weights on the corresponding date in 1911, where obtainable, have been entered. When the 15th fell on Sunday or on a holiday the weights quoted were for either the 14th or the 16th of the month.

Weight quotations were secured from several representative bakeries in each city. In order to avoid identification, names of firms and brands are not disclosed, but each firm has been given a number and each brand reported by a firm has been designated by a letter.

Table III.—Per cent of increase or decrease in retail prices of the principal articles of food: Price on the 15th of January, February, March, April, May, and June, 1912, compared with price on the corresponding date in 1911, by cities and by articles (pp. 152 to 171).—This table shows for each of the 39 cities the per cent of increase or decrease in price of each of 15 principal articles of food. The price on January

15, 1912, is compared with the price on January 15, 1911; the price on February 15, 1912, is compared with the price on February 15, 1911, etc. No relative prices are shown for three articles for which actual prices are quoted in Table I. These articles are chuck roast, for which quotations were not secured prior to January, 1912; leg of lamb, which is the article generally known to the trade as "yearling," but the age of the sheep varies, as reported by some firms, with different seasons of the year; and storage eggs, for which only a comparatively few quotations were secured prior to January, 1912.

In order to arrive at the per cent of change in the price of an article, the percentage of change in price as quoted by each dealer was computed, the percentages for the various firms were added and this sum divided by the number of firms reporting for the city.

Table IV.—Relative retail prices of the principal articles of food, January, 1911, to June, 1912, by geographical divisions (pp. 171 to 178).—This table shows for each of 15 principal articles of food the relative price for each month from January, 1911, to June, 1912. Relative prices are not shown for chuck roast, leg of lamb, and storage eggs for reasons stated in the explanation of Table III.

Data corresponding to that shown in this table are presented for each year from 1890 to 1911 in General Table II of the preceding report published in this series (Bulletin No. 105).

As explained in Part I of this report, a relative price, or an index number, as it is technically called, of any article is the per cent which the price of that article at any certain date is of the price of the same article at a date or period which has been selected as the base or standard.

The base selected for this compilation of retail prices is the average price for the 10-year period, 1890 to 1899. This base period is the same as was used in the preceding bulletins on retail prices and wages and hours of labor and in the several presentations of wholesale prices in the bulletins of this Bureau. The average for the 10-year period is used as the base for the reason that an average price for a number of years more nearly represents average or normal conditions than does the price for a single year, because of unusual conditions that may prevail in any one year.

The value of the relative price is that it enables the reader to follow more readily the course of prices of a single article and, when these relative prices are combined, to follow the course of prices of groups of articles. The relative price also permits the continuation of a price series when, for any reason, quotations from one firm are discontinued and quotations from another firm for a different quality or brand of article are secured instead, which article, though differing somewhat from the one formerly quoted, equally well represents the trend of the general market.

The many changes in firms furnishing prices and also the changes in grades and brands of articles make several steps necessary in order to arrive at the relative price of an article for a geographical division or for the United States. The methods followed during the years 1890 to 1911 are explained in the preceding report published in this series (Bulletin No. 105), and the reader is referred to that report. The method followed for January to June, 1912, is exactly the same as that for the years 1904 to 1911, excepting that monthly quotations instead of averages for the year are compared firm by firm.

The 39 cities for which prices were secured have been grouped into five geographical divisions as follows:

North Atlantic division:
- Boston, Mass.
- Buffalo, N. Y.
- Fall River, Mass.
- Manchester, N. H.
- Newark, N. J.
- New Haven, Conn.
- New York, N. Y.
- Philadelphia, Pa.
- Pittsburgh, Pa.
- Providence, R. I.
- Scranton, Pa.

South Atlantic division:
- Atlanta, Ga.
- Baltimore, Md.
- Charleston, S. C.
- Jacksonville, Fla.
- Richmond, Va.
- Washington, D. C.

North Central division:
- Chicago, Ill.
- Cincinnati, Ohio.
- Cleveland, Ohio.

North Central division—Concluded.
- Detroit, Mich.
- Indianapolis, Ind.
- Kansas City, Mo.
- Milwaukee, Wis.
- Minneapolis, Minn.
- Omaha, Nebr.
- St. Louis, Mo.

South Central division:
- Birmingham, Ala.
- Dallas, Tex.
- Little Rock, Ark.
- Louisville, Ky.
- Memphis, Tenn.
- New Orleans, La.

Western division:
- Denver, Colo.
- Los Angeles, Cal.
- Portland, Oreg.
- Salt Lake City, Utah.
- San Francisco, Cal.
- Seattle, Wash.

Table V.—Retail prices of coal, for household use, on the 15th of each month, January and April, 1911, and January and April, 1912, by cities and by firms (pp. 179 to 205).—This table shows prices of Pennsylvania anthracite coal, stove size; Pennsylvania anthracite coal, chestnut size; and bituminous coal, in all the cities for which retail prices of food are shown, with the exception of Atlanta, Ga.; Charleston, S. C.; Portland, Oreg.; and Scranton, Pa. Prices are quoted for the 15th of January and April, 1912, and for comparative purposes prices on the corresponding dates in 1911 have been entered. When the 15th fell on Sunday, or on a holiday, the prices quoted were for either the 14th or the 16th of the month. In some cities practically no bituminous coal is used for household purposes and in others practically no Pennsylvania anthracite coal is used. In

a few cities Colorado coal is quoted and in one or two cities Welsh and other varieties of coal are quoted.

Prices are quoted for coal in ton lots, in half-ton lots, and in bushel lots or 100-pound lots when sold in small quantities. In connection with prices the number of pounds per ton, half ton, and bushel is also shown.

The price quotations were furnished by coal dealers in each city, who kindly responded to a request from the Bureau for this information. In order to avoid indentification, firm names are not disclosed, but each firm has been given a number which enables one to follow the prices quoted throughout the period for which a firm has been furnishing price quotations, either for the present report or for the preceding report published in this series (Bulletin No. 105). The prices quoted are for coal delivered to consumers, but do not include charges for storing ton and half-ton lots in cellar or coal bin, where an extra handling is necessary, except as noted in connection with the price quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS.

ATLANTA, GA.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
102	Sirloin steak, per pound							$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25
105	Do	$0.20	$0.20	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	(1)
106	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
111	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
114	Do	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.25	.22½
115	Do	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	(1)
116	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)	(1)
118	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
102	Round steak, per pound							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
105	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	(1)
106	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	(1)	(1)
111	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
114	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.22½	.20
115	Do	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	(1)
116	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
118	Do							.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20
102	Rib roast, bone in, per pound							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
105	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.22½	(1)
106	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
111	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.22½
114	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.26	.25	.20
115	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.30	(1)
116	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)	(1)
118	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½
105	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.15	.12½	.15	.17½	(1)
106	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)
111	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
114	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.15
115	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	(1)
118	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15
102	Pork chops, loin, per pound							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
105	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.20	.20	.18	.22½	.22½	(1)
106	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)

111	Do							.20	.25	.20	.25	.20	.20
114	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
115	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.30	(1)
116	Do							.20	.20	.20	.25	(1)	(1)
118	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
102	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound							.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
105	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	(1)
106	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	(1)	(1)
111	Do							.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
113	Do	.28	.28	.29	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
114	Do	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30
116	Do							.35	.35	.35	.35	(1)	(1)
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
102	Sliced							.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
105	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.20	.25	.20	.20	.25	(1)
106	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)	(1)
111	Do							.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
113	Whole, 12 to 14 pounds	.21	.21	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.16½	.16½	.16½	.16½	.18½	.18½
114	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.25
116	Do							.30	.30	.30	.30	(1)	(1)
102	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
105	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)
111	Do							.15	.15	.14	.15	.15	.15
113	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.13½	.13½	.13½	.13½	.13½	.13½
115	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)
117	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
102	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
105	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.20	.20	(1)
106	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
111	Do							.25	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
114	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.25	.20
115	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.30	(1)
116	Do							.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	(1)	(1)
	Hens, year old or more, dressed, per pound:												
102	Drawn							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
104	Do	.25	.25	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.25	.22½	.20	.20	.20
105	Do	.22½	.22½	.23	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22½	.22½	.22½	(1)
111	Not drawn							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
116	Drawn							.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)	(1)

[1] No quotation.

[2] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

ATLANTA, GA.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
102	Gold Medal							$0.95	$0.95	$0.95	$0.95	$0.95	$0.95
105	Special brand	$0.90	$0.90	$0.90	$0.90	$0.90	$0.90	.90	.90	.90	90	1.00	(1)
111	Omega							(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	1.00	1.00
113	La Rosa	.78	.78	.78	.78	.78	.78	.78	.78	.78	.78	.83	.83
115	Obelisk	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	(1)	(1)
117	Capitola							.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
102	Corn meal, per pound							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0292	.0292	.0292
105	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0292	(1)
111	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0292	.0292	.0292	.0292	.0292	.0292
113	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0233	.0233	.0233	.0250	.0275	.0250
117	Do							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0292	.0292
	Eggs, strictly fresh, per dozen:												
102	Near-by							(1)	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
104	Do	.40	.25	.22½	.20	.20	.20	.45	.40	.25	.25	.25	.25
105	Do							.40	.35	.22½	.22½	.25	(1)
111	Do	.35	.30	.30	.25	.23	.20	.40	.35	.20	.25	.25	.25
113	Do	.45	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.38	.32	.23½	.22	.22	.19
114	Tennessee	.35	.30	.30	.25	.20	.20	.40	.30	.25	.22½	.22½	.25
115	Near-by	.40	.35	.25	.25	.20	.20	.40	.40	.30	.25	.25	(1)
117	Do							.40	.45	.23	.23	.23	.22
102	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.35	.25					.30	(1)				
111	Do	.30	.25					(1)	(1)				
113	Do	.34	.22					.32	(1)				
117	Do							.30	.30				
102	Butter, creamery, print, per pound							.45	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35
105	Do	.45	.40	.40	.35	.35	.30	.45	.40	.35	.40	.40	(1)
110	Do							.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	(1)
111	Do	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35	.50	.45	.40	.40	.40	.35
113	Do	.39	.34	.34	.34	.29	.29	.42	.42	.38	.38	.38	.38
114	Do	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35
117	Do							.40	.45	.40	.40	.40	.35

102	Potatoes, Irish, per peck							.35	.45	.45	.50	.50	.50
105	Do	.25	.25	.25	.30	.40	.60	.40	.45	.40	.50	.50	(1)
111	Do	.25	.25	.25	.30	.50	.70	.40	.45	.45	.50	.50	.35
113	Do	.24	.24	.25	.27	.27	.30	.40	.40	.40	.50	.60	.50
115	Do	.30	.30	.30	.35	.40	.50	.40	.40	.45	.50	.60	(1)
117	Do							.35	.40	.40	.45	.45	.50
102	Sugar, granulated, in 25-cent or $1 lots, per pound							.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714
105	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0667	.0667	(1)
111	Do	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0625
113	Do	.0588	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0556	.0588	.0556
115	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0714	(1)	(1)
117	Do							.0833	.0833	.0714	.0714	.0625	.0625
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
101	Raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
103	(2)	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	(1)	(1)
107	Raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
110	(2)	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
112	(2)	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½

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203	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.24	$0.24
204	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.18	.19	.18	.18	.20	.20	.24	.24
206	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.19	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.24
213	Do	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22
224	Do							.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
203	Round steak, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
204	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.16	.16	.18	.18	.22	.22
206	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
213	Do	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.17	.17	.20	.22
224	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
203	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
204	Do	.12	.12	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15	.16	.16
206	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18
213	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
224	Do							.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.18
203	Chuck roast, per pound							.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
204	Do							.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14
206	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16
213	Do							.12	.12	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
224	Do							.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14	.14

[1] No quotation.

[2] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

BALTIMORE, MD.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
203	Pork chops, loin, per pound	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20
204	Do	.16	.16	.15	.14	.15	.15	.15	.14	.15	.17	.18	.17
206	Do	.17	.16	.15	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.16	.16	.16
213	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.15	.16	.18	.18	.17
224	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
203	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.26	.24	.24	.24	.24	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
204	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
206	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20
213	Do	.25	.22	.22	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
224	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
203	Sliced	.30	.30	.30	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.30
204	Do	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.30	.28	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30
206	Do	.26	.26	.26	.26	.28	.28	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	.28
213	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28
224	Whole, 7 to 8 pounds	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
203	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.18	.16	.14	.14	.12	.12	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
204	Do	.13	.12	.12	.10	.11	.12	.15	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15
206	Do	.14	.14	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14
208	Do	.15	.15	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.13	.13	.14
211	Do	.14	.14	.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.13	.12	.12	.14	.14
213	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14
224	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14
203	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	(2)
204	Do	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	.22	.24	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22
206	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
213	Do	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
220	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14	.15	.12½	.15	.16	.18	.20
224	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.15
201	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.22	.22	.24	.24	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
202	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18
205	Do	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20

207	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20
212	Do	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
203	Fancy	.85	.85	.85	.79	.79	.79	.84	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
206	Mother's Joy	.82	.82	.80	.78	.78	.78	.79	.79	.79	.79	.86	.84
208	Patapsco Superlative	.82	.78	.75	.75	.78	.72	.80	.83	.83	.85	.90	.88
209	Pillsbury's Best	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95
211	Gold Medal	.85	.85	.85	.80	.80	.80	.90	.90	.88	.85	.90	.90
203	Corn meal, per pound	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250
206	Do	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
208	Do	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
209	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
211	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0200	.0250	.0250
201	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.32	.28	.22	.22	.22	.20	.40	.40	.25	.25	.22	.25
203	Do	.42	.28	.20	.20	.22	.20	.45	.40	.23	.23	.22	.25
205	Do	.30	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.38	.38	.23	.24	.20	.22
206	Do	(2)	(2)	.24	.20	.20	.19	(2)	.36	.22	.22	.20	.24
208	Do	.32	.22	.20	.18	.20	.20	.38	.40	.24	.24	.22	.24
209	Do	.45	.24	.25	.20	.20	.22	.35	.35	.25	.25	.22	.25
213	Do							.38	.37	.25	.25	.24	.25
216	Do	.32	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.38	.40	.23	.24	.22	.24
219	Do	.40	.35	.25	.22	.20	.20	.42	.40	.24	.23	.23	.25
201	Eggs, storage, per dozen							.32	(2)				
206	Do	.28	.28					.32	(2)				
208	Do							.32	(2)				
211	Do							.30	(2)				
212	Do	.30	(2)					.30	(2)				
213	Do	.28	(2)					.32	(2)				
216	Do	.25	.15					.30	(2)				
219	Do	.32	.28					.33	(2)				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
201	Print	.40	.35	.36	.32	.28	.30	.48	.40	.38	.40	.40	.35
203	Tub	.38	.38	.35	.32	.32	.32	.48	.44	.40	.40	.40	.35
204	Do	.36	.36	.36	.36	.34	.36	.45	.42	.40	.40	.40	.38
206	Print	.35	.35	.28	.28	.28	.28	.44	.38	.35	.36	.36	.32
209	Do	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	(2)	.40	.40	.40	.38	.38
211	Do	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	.28	.28	.40	.38	.36	.35	.35	.35
216	Tub	.36	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.40	.38	.38	.38	.35
203	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.30	.40	.40	.48	.48	.48	.48
204	Do	.22	.20	.20	.20	.25	.35	.40	.44	.40	.50	.45	.40
206	Do	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20	.20	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40	.40
208	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.30	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40	.30
211	Do					.60	.60	.35	.35	.38	.45	.45	.40

[1] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

[2] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

BALTIMORE, MD.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
203	Sugar, granulated, per pound	$0.0500	$0.0500	$0.0500	$0.0500	$0.0500	$0.0550	$0.0600	$0.0600	$0.0600	$0.0600	$0.0550	$0.0550
206	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550	.0550	.0550
208	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550	.0550	.0550
209	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550	.0550
211	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550	.0500	.0550
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, per quart:												
210	Bottled, pasteurized	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
217	Do	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
221	Bottled, raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
222	Bottled [1]	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
	From can, raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
223	Bottled, raw	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08

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301	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	(2)	(2)
302	Do	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	$0.30	$0.30
304	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
308	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
310	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.22	.22
313	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.25	.30
301	Round steak, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(2)	(2)
302	Do	.20	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
304	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.22½	.22½
308	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22½
310	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.20	.20
313	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.20	.20
301	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(2)	(2)
302	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.20
304	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
308	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25

310	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
313	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.20	.20	.22½	.20	.25
302	Chuck roast, per pound							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
304	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
308	Do							.15	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18
310	Do							.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15
313	Do							.15	.15	.15	.17½	.15	.17½
301	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(2)	(2)
302	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
304	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.20	.17½	.20
308	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
310	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20
313	Do	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.15	.20	.25	.20	.20
	Bacon, smoked, per pound:												
302	Sliced												.35
	Piece, 5 to 7 pounds	.20	.20	.22½	.22½	.22½	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	
304	Sliced							.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
307	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
308	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35
310	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
312	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	(2)	(2)
313	Do							.35	.35	.35	.40	.30	.35
	Ham, smoked per pound:												
302	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
304	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
307	Whole, 9 to 12 pounds	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.19						
	Sliced							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
308	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
310	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
312	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	(2)	(2)
313	Do							.30	.25	.30	.30	.25	.30
	Lard, pure:												
302	Per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.70	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75
303	Do	.95	.90	.90	.90	.75	.75	.85	.70	.70	.75	.80	.80
304	Tub, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
308	Do							.16	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18
311	Do	.15	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½
312	Leaf, per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.95	.90	.90	.90	.80	.80						
	Tub, per pound							.15	.15	.15	.16	(2)	(2)
313	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
315	Per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.80	.75	.75	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.70	.70

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BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
301	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	(2)	(2)
302	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	$0.25	$0.25
304	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
308	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25
310	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.18	.20	.22	.25	.22
313	Do	.25	.25	.22½	.22½	.22½	.25	.20	.20	.20	.25	.20	.25
	Hens, year or more old, per pound:												
301	Live	.22	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.16½	.16½	.17½	(2)	(2)
302	Live	.21	.21	.20	.20	.18	.18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Dressed, drawn	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
308	Live	.20	.19	.19	.19	.18	.17½	.17	.17	.19	.20	.16	.18
310	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
311	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
302	Roller Champion	.95	.95	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
303	Do	.95	.95	.95	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95
304	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95
307	Grandma's Wonder	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.85	.80
311	Roller Champion	.95	.95	.95	.95	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95
312	Obelisk	.95	.95	.95	.95	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	(2)	(2)
313	Roller Champion	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.85	.90	.90	.90	(2)	.95
315	Obelisk	.80	.80	.80	.75	.75	.75	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.80
302	Corn meal, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0292	.0292
303	Do	.0208	.0250	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0208	.0292
304	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0250	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0292	.0292
307	Do	.0167	.0167	.0167	.0150	.0150	.0167	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0233	.0233	.0233
311	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0292	.0292
312	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	(2)	(2)
313	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0292	(2)	(2)
315	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250
302	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.35	.30	.30	.25	.20	.20	.40	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25
303	Do	.35	.30	.20	.20	.20	.25	.40	.30	.25	.22½	.25	.25
304	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	.30	.25	.30	.25	.25
311	Do	.35	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.37½	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25

312	Do	.40	.30	.20	.20	.20	.25	.40	.35	.25	.25	(2)	(2)
313	Do							.40	.35	.25	.25	(2)	.25
315	Do	.35	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.35	.35	.35	.25	.25	.20
302	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.40	.40	.35	.35	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.40	.40	.35
303	Do	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35
304	Do							.45	.45	.40	.40	.40	.35
307	Do	.35	.35	.35	.32	.30	.27	.44	.38	.35	.38	.35	.35
310	Do							.45	.40	.35	.40	.40	.35
311	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.45	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35
312	Do	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.45	.45	.40	.40	(2)	(2)
313	Do							.40	.45	.40	.40	(2)	.40
302	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.60	.40	.40	.45	.50	.45	.65
303	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.50	.45	.45	.45	.50	.50
304	Do							.45	.40	.45	.50	.45	.45
307	Do	.18	.18	.18	.25	.40	.60	.40	.40	.40	.40	.50	.45
311	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.60
312	Do	.30	.35	.35	.30	.30	.40	.35	.50	.50	.50	(2)	(2)
313	Do							.50	.45	.45	.50	(2)	.50
315	Do	.30	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40	.50
302	Sugar, granulated, in $1 lots, per pound	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667
304	Do							.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0625
307	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0526	.0526	.0645	.0625	.0625	.0571	(2)	.0556
311	Do	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0588	.0588	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667
312	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0667	.0667	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0714	(2)	(2)
313	Do							.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	(2)
315	Do	.0588	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0625	.0625
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
306	Pasteurized	.11	.11	.11	.10	.10	.10	.11	.11	.10	.10	.10	.10
314	(3)	.11	.11	.11	.10	.10	.10	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	(2)
316	(3)							.10	.10	.10	.10	(2)	(2)
317	Raw							.10	.10	.10	$.09\frac{1}{11}$	$.09\frac{1}{11}$	$.09\frac{1}{11}$
318	(3)	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	(2)	(2)

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BOSTON, MASS.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
402	Sirloin steak (porterhouse),[1] per pound	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.30
404	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.32	.32	.32	.32	.32	.32	.35	.35
408	Do	.28	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.35
410	Do	.25	.25	.30	.30	.35	.35	.25	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35
414	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.33	.33	.33	.33	.35	.35
416	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
402	Round steak, top, bone out, per pound	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.30
404	Do	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30	.34	.35
408	Do	.25	.25	.28	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.33	.35
410	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.28	.33	.33
414	Do	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.30	.32	.35
416	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	.30	.30	.30	.32	.35
402	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.17	.18	.18	.20
404	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.25	.25
406	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.25
408	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.19	.19	.18	.19	.19	.20	.25	.28
414	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
416	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
402	Chuck roast, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.14	.15	.14	.15	.16	.18
404	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.20
408	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12	.12	.12	.14	.18	.25
410	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18
416	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.14	.15	.15	.15	.16
417	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12	.13	.10	.14	.16	.18
402	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
404	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20	.20
408	Do	.16	.16	.18	.18	.22	.22	.19	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
409	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
410	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.23	.20	.20	.18	.22	.22	.22
414	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22
416	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.18	.16	.16	.20	.20	.20

402	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20
404	Do	.28	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24	.24
408	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23
414	Do	.28	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
416	Do							.20	.20	.18	.20	.23	.20
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
402	Sliced	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25
404	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28
408	Do	.25	.25	.28	.28	.30	.30	.28	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30
410	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28	.28
414	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
416	Whole, 10 to 20 pounds	.16	.16	.16	.15	.16	.16	.17	.16	.16	.20	.20	.17
402	Lard, pure, tub, per pound							.13	.13	.13	.13	.15	.15
404	Do							.14	.14	.14	.15	.16	.16
405	Do	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
408	Do							.12	.12	.13	.14	.15	.15
410	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.12	.13	.12	.14	.15	.15
412	Do	.15	.15	.15	.12	.13	.12	.13	.13	.13	.15	.15	.15
416	Do							.14	.13	.13	.14	.15	.15
402	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12	.13	.12	.13	.15	.16	.15
404	Do	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	.25
408	Do	.18	.20	.22	.20	.20	.18	.16	.17	.20	.18	.23	.23
409	Do	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.16	.18	.20	.22	.22
414	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.22	.20	.18	.18	.20	.23	.23
415	Do	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.25	.20	.18	.18	.20	.25	.25
416	Do							.15	.20	(3)	.20	.25	.25
402	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18
404	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.22	.22	.23	.23
408	Do	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.18	.20	.20	.20	.23
410	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22
414	Do	.22	.23	.23	.24	.24	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.23
416	Do							.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
405	King Arthur	1.00	1.00	1.00	.95	.95	.95	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.05	1.05
410	Cardinal	1.05	1.05	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
412	Atlas	1.00	.95	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	1.00	1.00	1.00
416	Eagle							1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
406	Corn meal, per pound	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400
408	Do							.0333	.0333	.0333	(3)	.0333	.0333
410	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
412	Do	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0400	.0400	.0300

[1] The steak for which prices are here quoted is known as "porterhouse" in most of the cities included in this report, but in this city it is called "sirloin."

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BOSTON, MASS.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Eggs, strictly fresh, per dozen:												
405	Near-by	$0.45	$0.38	$0.35	$0.28	$0.28	$0.30	$0.45	$0.48	$0.32	$0.32	$0.30	$0.30
407	Do	.45	.37	.32	.30	.29	.31	.45	.50	.33	.32	.32	.32
408	Do	.50	.50	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	.55	.50	.31	.31	.31	.32
412	Western	.33	.28	.26	.23	.25	.25	(1)	.45	.30	.32	.32	.30
416	Near-by	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.60	.50	.30	.30	.30	.32
407	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	.42	.....	.....	.....	.....
408	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	(1)	.35	.....	.....	.....	.....
412	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.29	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
416	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	.40	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
405	Tub	.38	.38	.35	.32	.30	.32	.42	.45	.40	.40	.38	.37
407	Do	.36	.34	.31	.29	.29	.30	.38	.39	.35	.37	.37	.35
408	Print	.30	.30	.30	.30	.33	.33	.42	.45	.39	.39	.39	.39
412	Tub	.35	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.35	.42	.37	.35	.35	.35
416	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.45	.48	.40	.40	.40	.35
405	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.45	.45	.45	.40	.35
406	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.40	.40	.40	.50	.40	.40
408	Do	.19	.19	.19	.19	.55	.50	.45	.45	.48	.50	.50	.35
412	Do	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.20	.35	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35
414	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.40	.40	.40	.50	.45	.40
416	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	.40	.40	.50	.45	.40
405	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
406	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
408	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0650	.0600	.0650	(1)	.0600	.0600
412	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0700	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
416	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0660	.0660	.0660	.0660	.0600	.0600
401	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, pasteurized, per quart	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.09	.08
403	Do	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.08	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
407	Do	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.08	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
413	Do	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.08	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09

BUFFALO, N. Y.

503	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.22	$0.22
[2]505	Do	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18	.19	.17	.16	.17	.19	.20	.21
506	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.23
516	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
503	Round steak, per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20
[2]505	Do	.13	.13	.14	.15	.14	.16	.15	.14	.15	.17	.18	.19
506	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.15	.15	.15	.16	.20	.20
516	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.19	.20
503	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.14	.16	.18	.18
[2]505	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.16
506	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.13	.13	.16	.16	.16	.15	.18	.18
516	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18
503	Chuck roast, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14	.15
[2]505	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.11	.12	.12	.11	.13	.13
506	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.14	.14	.12	.12	.15	.15
516	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12	.12	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
503	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.16	.15	.16	.20	.20	.20
[2]505	Do	.17	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.13	.14	.17	.17	.17
506	Do	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.14	.15	.16	.18	.17	.18
516	Do	.17	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.15	.18	.20	.20	.20
503	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
[2]505	Do	.22	.22	.21	.20	.20	.20	.16	.15	.16	.16	.17	.18
506	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.17	.17	.16	.20	.20	.20
516	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
503	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.22	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
[2]505	Do	.27	.27	.26	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
506	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25
516	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.23	.25
502	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.14	.14	.13	.12	.12	.11	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14
[2]505	Do	.12½	.12	.11	.10	.11½	.10	.11	.10½	.10½	.12	.13	.13
508	Do	.15	.13	.13	.12	.12	.12	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.15
513	Do	.13	.13	.12	.12	.11	.11	.12	.12	.12	.13	.13	.13
514	Do	.14	.13	.13	.13	.13	.12	.12	.12	.12	.13	.14	.14
518	Do	.15	.15	.15	.11	.11	.13	.13	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14

[1] No quotation.

[2] Does not deliver purchases.

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BUFFALO, N. Y.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
503	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.14	$0.14	$0.14	$0.16	$0.20	$0.18
[2] 505	Do	.14	.13	.14	.15	.12½	.16	.12½	.11½	.12½	.15	.17	.15
506	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.13	.14	.13	.16	.18	.16
516	Do	.12	.12	.12	.15	.16	.16	.14	.13	.14	.16	.18	.18
503	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.15	.18	.20	.22	.22	.20
504	Do	.19	.20	.20	.20	.21	.20	.17	.18	.18	.19	.18	.18
506	Do	.16	.16	.18	.18	.19	.19	.18	.18	.20	.20	.19	.19
517	Do	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18
519	Do	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.22	.23	.21	.20
520	Do							.17	.17	.17	.18	.17	.16
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
502	Thornton & Chester							.80	.84	.80	.80	.87	.87
508	Do	.82	.82	.80	.76	.76	.76	.83	.83	.83	.83	.92	.89
511	Special brand	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.80	.85	.80	.83	.90	.90
512	Thornton & Chester	.80	.78	.74	.74	.74	.74	.79	.82	.79	.81	.85	.87
513	Ceresota	.77	.77	.77	.74	.71	.71	.80	.82	.80	.82	.86	.86
514	Gold Medal	.78	.78	.75	.78	.75	.75	.78	.81	.78	.81	.84	.88
518	Glory							.80	.76	.77	.77	.77	.86
502	Corn meal, per pound							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
508	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360
511	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
512	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
513	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
514	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
518	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
	Eggs, strictly fresh, per dozen:												
502	Western	.34	.27	.25	.22	.26	.20	.38	.40	.25	.24	.22	.25
504	Near-by	.45	.45	.30	.25	.28	.30	.45	.45	.28	.25	.25	.25
[2] 505	Western	.32	.25	.25	.22	.23	.22	.35	.35	.23	.22½	.20	.21
508	Western or State	.45	.24	.24	.22	.21	.22	.45	.40	.27	.28	.28	.27
511	Near-by							.41	.41	.25	.23	.25	.25
512	Do							.45	.37	.24	.21	.22	.22
513	Do							.38	.40	.25	.23	.22	.23
514	Do							.42	.45	.29	.27	.27	.27

[2]505	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(3)	(3)					.25	.25				
512	Do	(3)	(3)					.30	(3)				
514	Do	(3)	(3)					.31	.38				
518	Do	(3)	(3)					.28	.38				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
502	Tub	.36	.32	.32	.28	.27	.28	.42	.39	.35	.37	.37	.31
2505	Print	.31	.32	.30	.24	.25	.27	.42	.36	.33	.34	.35	.31
508	Tub	.36	.29	.29	.27	.27	.28	.42	.36	.36	.38	.36	.33
510	Print	.34	.34	.33	.30	.28	.26	.45	.40	.36	.40	.38	.34
511	Tub							.45	.40	.40	.37	.31	.32
512	Do							.42	.33	.35	.34	.31	.31
513	Do	.35	.35	.33	.30	.27	.28	.42	.38	.35	.37	.36	.33
514	Do	.30	.31	.31	.28	.26	.28	.45	.38	.35	.37	.37	.32
502	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.20	.20	.20	.18	.22	.28	.35	.40	.38	.45	.45	.38
508	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.35	.35	.40	.45	.40	.50
512	Do	.15	.15	.18	.18	.20	.25	.37	.33	.40	.43	.40	.45
513	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.35	.33	.35	.43	.40	.45
514	Do	.18	.18	.22	.25	.30	.60	.37	.37	.43	.45	.40	.35
518	Do							.33	.37	.37	.45	.43	.43
502	Sugar, granulated, per pound:	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
508	Do	.0550	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
511	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
512	Do							.0600	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
513	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
514	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0600	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
518	Do							.0600	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
501	Raw	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07
507	Raw	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07		
	Pasteurized											.07	.07
509	Do	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07
510	Do	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07
515	Raw	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07

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CHARLESTON, S. C.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
612	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	(1)	(1)	(1)
614	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	$0.20	$0.22	$0.20
617	Do	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	.22
621	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17½	.18	.20	20	.20	.20	.18
612	Round steak, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)
614	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.18	.20	.20
617	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
621	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15
612	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)
614	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.20
617	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.24	.22
621	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.18	.20	.18	.20	.18	.15
612	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	(1)	(1)	(1)
614	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
617	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
621	Do							.12½	.15	.12½	.15	.15	.12½
612	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)	(1)
614	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.25	.25	.22
617	Do	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.30	.25
621	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.20	.18
	Bacon, smoked, per pound:												
605	Sliced	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
607	Piece, 2½ to 4 pounds	.24	.24	.22	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.16	.18	.20	.20
610	Piece, 3 to 6 pounds	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16
617	Sliced	.25	.25	.22	.20	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30
619	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
605	Sliced	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
606	Whole, 12 to 16 pounds	.17	.16½	.16	.15	.15	.16	.15	.15	.16	(1)	(1)	(1)
607	Whole, 8 to 10 pounds	.18	.18	.18	.17	.16	.17	.16	.16	.16	.17	.18	.18
610	Whole, 8 to 12 pounds	.20	.20	.20	.17	.17	.17	.16	.15	.15	.15	.17	.18
617	Sliced	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35
619	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25

605	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.14	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
606	Do	.15	.15	.14	.13	.12	.11	.12	.12	.12	(1)	(1)	(1)
607	Do	.15	.15	.13	.13	.13	.12½	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14
610	Do	.13	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14
618	Do	.17	.17	.13	.13	.13	.12	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14
612	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	(1)	(1)	(1)
614	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
617	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.25
621	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18
602	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.19	.18	.20	.22	.21	.20	.20	.20	.20
603	Do	.23	.23	.23	.23	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
608	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)	(1)
612	Do							.20	.22	.22	(1)	(1)	(1)
613	Do	.23	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
616	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
620	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.22	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
605	Obelisk	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.90	1.00
606	Quaker City	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	(1)	(1)	(1)
607	Obelisk	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.85	.90	.95	.95	1.00
610	White Eagle										.80	.80	.80
	Roxana	.89	.89	.89	.89	.89	.75	.80	.75	.80			
618	Obelisk	1.00	.90	.90	.95	.85	.85	.90	.85	.85	.85	.90	1.00
619	Harter's No. 1	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
605	Corn meal, in 10 or 12 pound lots, per pound	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
606	Do	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0225	.0250	.0250	(1)	(1)	(1)
607	Do	.0200	.0183	.0183	.0183	.0183	.0183	.0233	.0233	.0233	.0233	.0250	.0250
610	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
619	Do	.0240	.0240	.0220	.0220	.0200	.0200	.0240	.0250	.0250	.0280	.0280	.0300
602	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.30	.25	.25	.24	.20	.20	.35	.35	.23	.24	.22	.22
603	Do	.35	.25	.20	.20	.23	.20	.35	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
605	Do	.30	.25	.25	.22	.20	.20	.40	.35	.25	.25	.25	.23
606	Do						.20	.42	.45	.30	(1)	(1)	(1)
607	Do	.38	.28	.24	.22	.20	.20	.42	.38	.24	.23	.23	.22
608	Do	.37	.25	.22	.22	.20	.20	.35	.35	.23	(1)	(1)	(1)
616	Do	.35	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.35	.30	.25	.22	.22	.22
619	Do							.30	.35	.25	.25	.24	.22

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CHARLESTON, S. C.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
602	Eggs, storage, per dozen	$0.24	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	$0.27	$0.32	.....	.....	.....	.....
603	Do	.30	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
605	Do	.25	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	.30	.....	.....	.....	.....
606	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.36	.31	.....	.....	.....	.....
608	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	.30	.....	.....	.....	.....
616	Do	.28	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.28	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
605	Print	.38	$0.35	$0.35	$0.32	$0.30	$0.30	.44	.38	$0.38	$0.38	$0.38	$0.35
606	Do	.33	.32	.30	.29	.27	.29	.47	.42	.40	(1)	(1)	(1)
607	Tub	.30	.30	.29	.28	.30	.31	.42	.38	.36	.38	.38	.33
610	Print	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.40	.37	.35	.36	.36	(1)
618	Do	.39	.34	.34	.32	.30	.31	.45	.40	.38	.41	.41	.35
619	Do	.35	.35	.30	.28	.28	.30	.42	.40	.38	.38	.38	.35
605	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.50	.40	.40	.40	.50	.50	.50
607	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.45	.40	.45	.40	.40	.45
610	Do	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.45	.35	.40	.40	.45	.45	.40
618	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.35	.40	.40	.40	.45	.40	.40
619	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40
605	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600
606	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0600	(1)	(1)	(1)
607	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
610	Do	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600
618	Do	.0525	.0525	.0550	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600
619	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
601	Raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.12
604	Do	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
609	(2)	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.11	.11	.11	(2)	(2)	(1)
611	Raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
615	(2)	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10

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701	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.16	$0.16	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22
704	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22
705	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.22	.25	.28	.30
707	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	(1)	.22	.22	.22	.24	.25
712	Do	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.22	.22
713	Do	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22	.24	.27	.27	.25
715	Do	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.25	.25
718	Do	.19	.19	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.19	.20	.21	.22
719	Do							.22	.22	.20	.22	(1)	(1)
701	Round steak, per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20
704	Do	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.16	.17	.18
705	Do	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.18	.20	.22	.22
707	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	(1)	.20	.20	.20	.21	.22
712	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.18
713	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.18	.18	.18
715	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
718	Do	.11½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14½	.15	.16	.17	.17
719	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	(1)	(1)
701	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.22
704	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
705	Do	.14	.14	.14	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.20	.22	.22
707	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
712	Do	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
713	Do	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.22	.21	.21	.21	.22	.22
715	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
718	Do	.19½	.19½	.18½	.18½	.18	.18	.18	.18	.19	.20	.20	.21
719	Do							.22	.22	.15	.14	(1)	(1)
701	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.14	.15
704	Do							.13	.13	.12	.14	.14	.14
705	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.18	.18
707	Do							(1)	.13	.13	.13	.14	.15
712	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.15	.15
713	Do							.12	.12	.12½	.13	.14	.15
715	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
718	Do							.12½	.12½	.13	.13	.14	.15
719	Do							.12½	.14	.14	(1)	(1)	(1)
701	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.16	.12½	.12½	.16	.16	.16	.15
704	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.14	.14	.15	.17	.17	.16
705	Do	.15	.15	.16	.17	.18	.18	.12½	.12½	.18	.20	.18	.18
707	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.17	(1)	.14	.15	.16	.16	.15
712	Do	.15	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.13	.14	.16	.16	.15
713	Do	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14	.14	.18	.18	.18	.16
715	Do	.14	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.12½	.12½	.15	.18	.18	.18
718	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12	.12	.12	.12½	.14	.16	.18	.18	.18
719	Do							.18	.15	.16	.19	(1)	(1)

[1] No quotation.

[2] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

CHICAGO, ILL.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Bacon, smoked, per pound:												
701	Piece, 5 to 8 pounds	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22	$0.22	$0.20	$0.20	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18
705	Sliced	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.24	.24	.22	.25	.25	.25
707	Do	.29	.29	.29	.29	.29	.29	(1)	.29	.29	.29	.29	.29
712	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.25	.25	.22	.22	.25	.25
713	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.25	.25
	Piece, 6 to 8 pounds	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.....	.....
715	Sliced	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.28	.30	.30	.30
718	Piece, 4 to 6 pounds	.18½	.18	.18	.18½	.19	.19	.19½	.19½	.20½	.20	.20½	.20½
719	Sliced	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	.30	(1)	.28	(1)	(1)
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
701	Whole, 10 to 14 pounds	.13	.14	.14½	.14½	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.16
705	Sliced	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25
707	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	(1)	.28	.25	.25	.25	.25
712	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
713	Whole, 12 to 14 pounds	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20
715	Sliced	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
718	Whole, 10 to 14 pounds	.14½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14½	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18½
719	Sliced	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	.30	(1)	.25	(1)	(1)
704	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.12½	.13	.13
707	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	(1)	.15	.15	.15	.14	.14
711	Do	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14
713	Do	.12	.12	.11	.11	.10	.10	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
718	Do	.15	.15½	.15	.14½	.13½	.14	.15	.15	.16	.17	.17	.17½
719	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	(1)	(1)
720	Do	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14
723	Do	.14	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14
701	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.16	.16	.17	.17	.18	.18	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.14
704	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.17	.17	.17	.18	.20	.20
705	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.16	.16	.18	.20	.22	.22
707	Do	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	(2)	.16	.18	.20	.22	.22
712	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.18	.20	.22	.20
713	Do	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.16	.15	.16	.18	.22	.18
715	Do	.17	.17	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22

718	Do	.13½	.13½	.12	.13	.13½	.13½	.12½	.13	.14	.14	.16	.16½
719	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	(1)	(1)
701	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.15	.16	.16	(1)	(1)	(1)	.15	.16	.18	.18	.17	.16
704	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18	.18
705	Do	.14	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.14	.18	.20	.20	.20	.16
707	Do	.15	.15	.15	.16	.17	.18	(1)	.18	.20	.21	.19	.18
712	Do	.19	.19	.20	.20	.19	.19	.19	.20	.20	.20	.19	.18
715	Do	.17	.17	.16	.16	.15	.14	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18
718	Do	.15½	.16	.16	.15	.15	.16	.15	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18
719	Do							.15	.19	.20	.22	(1)	(1)
724	Do	.14	.15	.15	.16	.19	.20	.16	.17	.18	.18	.20	.15½
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
704	Pillsbury's Best	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
707	Do	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	(1)	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
711	Do	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
716	Do	.82	.80	.75	.75	.75	.75	.76	.75	.77	.75	.75	.82
718	Ceresota	.85	.89	.89	.89	.89	.85	.79	.79	.82	.87	.92	.92
719	Pillsbury's Best	.90	.90	.85	.80	.75	.75	.85	.85	.85	.80	(1)	(1)
720	Do	.85	.85	.85	.85	.75	.75	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
724	Do	.85	.80	.80	.75	.75	.75	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
708	Corn meal, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
711	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
716	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
718	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
719	Do	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	(1)	(1)
720	Do	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
724	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
703	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.38	.22	.22	.21	.22	.22	.42	.40	.26	.26	.26	.26
704	Do	.35	.30	.32	.25	.25	.25	.40	.39	.25	.23	.23	.23
707	Do	.42	.42	.40	.30	.24	.24	(1)	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
708	Do	.36	.25	.18	.18	.18	.18	.39	.38	.23	.22	.22	.23
711	Do	.38	.38	.35	.32	.32	.32	.42	.42	.26	.24	.23	.25
717	Do	.44	.28	.25	.18	.16	.22	.38	.39	.23	.22	.22	.24
718	Do							.38	.40	.26	.22½	.21½	.24
719	Do	.39	.29	.29	.22	.22	.22	.44	.44	.26	.23	(1)	(1)
720	Do	.38	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.42	.38	.25	.22	.22	.22
723	Do	(1)	(1)	.28	.22	.23	.23	(1)	.38	.24	.22	.23	.23
724	Do	.40	.40	.38	.36	.33	.30	.35	.32	.27	.25	.25	.25
704	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)					.37	(1)				
707	Do	.32	.32					(1)	(1)				
708	Do	(1)	(1)					.33	.33				
711	Do	.33	.33					.32	.32				

[1] No quotation.

[2] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

CHICAGO, ILL.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
717	Eggs, storage, per dozen	$0.34	$0.18	.....	.....	.....	.....	$0.28	$0.35	.....	.....	.....	.....
718	Do	.22	.23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.32	.32	.....	.....	.....	.....
719	Do	.29	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.33	.36	.....	.....	.....	.....
720	Do	.32	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.32	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
723	Do	.23	.24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.28	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
724	Do	.30	.28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.28	.27	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
703	Print	.33	.32	$0.32	$0.27	$0.28	$0.28	.42	.39	$0.36	$0.38	$0.36	$0.32
704	Tub	.37	.37	.39	.37	.37	.37	.43	.39	.35	.37	.35	.33
707	Print	.40	.40	.40	.40	.38	.35	(1)	.40	.37	.37	.34	.30
711	Do	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.43	.38	.36	.37	.32	.32
718	Tub	.32	.33	.35	.36	.34	.30	.39	.36	.36	.38	.34	.31
719	Print	.32	.31	.31	.27	.26	.27	.43	.44	.35	.35	(1)	(1)
720	Do	.36	.31	.31	.30	.27	.28	.42	.38	.35	.35	.34	.32
721	Do	.34	.33	.32	.28½	.28	.29	.47	.39	.36	.38	.37	.32
723	Tub	.36	.36	.34	.32	.32	.29	.41	.37	.34	.37	.33	.31
724	Do	.40	.40	.35	.32	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.37	.37	.33
704	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.50	.35	.35	.40	.45	.45	.50
711	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.25	.35	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40
716	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.40	.35	.33	.35	.40	.38	.43
717	Do	.28	.30	.30	.30	.38	.60	.27	.35	.37	.43	.40	.50
718	Do	.25	.30	.23	.20	.18	.18	.40	.35	.40	.40	.38	.45
719	Do	.18	.16	.15	.25	.20	.25	.35	.35	.35	.45	(1)	(1)
720	Do	.20	.20	.15	.20	.20	.50	.34	.35	.35	.40	.40	.45
723	Do	.25	.25	.25	.22½	.22½	.25	.35	.38	.35	.40	.35	.38
724	Do	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.20	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45
704	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
707	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0700	(1)	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600
711	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
716	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550	.0550
717	Do	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
718	Do	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
719	Do	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0600	(1)	(1)
720	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0600	.0600	.0600

723	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550	.0550
724	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
702	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
703	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
706	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
709	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
710	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
714	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
721	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
722	(2)	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08

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802	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.19	$0.19	$0.19	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22	$0.25	$0.22
803	Do	.17	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18	.16	.17	.16	.17	.22	.22
805	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.16	.17	.17
807	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22
808	Do	.14½	.15	.15½	.16	.17	.18	.17	.18	.18	.18	.19	.20
817	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
820	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.23	.23
821	Do							.15	.15	.18	.20	.20	.20
802	Round steak, per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.17	.16	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
803	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17	.14	.15	.14	.15	.20	.20
805	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
807	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.20	.20
808	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.15	.15	.15	.17	.18	.20
817	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
820	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
821	Do							.15	.15	.18	.20	.20	.20
802	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.17	.17	.17	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
803	Do	.16	.16	.16	.17	.17	.17	.15	.16	.15	.16	.18	.18
805	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18
807	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
808	Do	.13½	.13½	.14	.14	.14	.12½	.14	.15	.15	.17	.18	.18
817	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
820	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
821	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
802	Chuck roast, per pound							.10	.12	.12	.12½	.12½	.13
803	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14
805	Do							.10	.10	.12	.12	.12½	.12½
807	Do							.12	.12	.12	.12½	.15	.15
808	Do							.10	.10	.10	.11	.12	.12

[1] No quotation.

[2] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

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Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
817	Chuck roast, per pound							$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15
820	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
821	Do							.12	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
802	Pork chops, loin, per pound	$0.16½	$0.16½	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	.15	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18
803	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.15	.15	.18	.20	.20	.18
805	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.17	.18	.15	.18	.20	.20	.20
808	Do	.14	.14½	.15	.13	.12½	.12½	.13	.15	.15	.19	.17	.18
817	Do	.18	.18	.18	.15	.16	.18	.15	.15	.15	.18	.20	.18
820	Do							.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.20
821	Do							.15	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
802	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.21	.21	.21	.22	.25	.26
803	Do	.23	.23	.23	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
807	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.18	.18	.20	.23	.25
817	Do	.23	.22	.22	.23	.23	.23	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.25
820	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23
821	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
802	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.21	.21	.21	.21	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.26	.28
803	Do	.23	.23	.23	.20	.20	.23	.20	.20	.20	.22	.23	.23
807	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.23	.22	.22	.24	.25	.26
817	Do	.23	.23	.23	.23	.25	.23	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
820	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28
821	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
804	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.15	.14	.12½	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.13	.13	.13
808	Do	.13	.13	.12	.11	.10	.10	.11	.11	.11	.12½	.12½	.12½
815	Do	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	.12	.12	.12½	.13	.13	.13
817	Do	.13	.13	.13	.13	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.13	.13	.14
819	Do							.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12
820	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.14
821	Do							.10	.11	.11	.11	.13	.13
802	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.17	.14	.15	.15	.15	.16	.18
803	Do	.12½	.14	.14	.14	.13	.13	.14	.14	.15	.15	.20	(2)
805	Do	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
807	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
820	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20

801	Hens, year or more old, dressed, drawn, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
802	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
803	Do	.22	.22	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.22	.23	.22
807	Do	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
815	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.23	.23	.23	.23
817	Do							.20	.20	.20	.23	.23	.23
821	Do							.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20
	Flour, wheat:												
804	Pillsbury's Best, per ⅛-barrel bag	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.90
808	Special brand, per 1/16-barrel bag	.40	.40	.37	.36	.36	.36	.39	.39	.39	.39	.40	.42
815	Gold Medal, per ⅛-barrel bag	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	1.00	1.00
817	Aristos, per 1/16-barrel bag							.45	.45	.45	.45	.45	.45
819	Special brand, per ⅛-barrel bag							.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70
821	Gold Medal, per 1/16-barrel bag							.40	.40	.40	.45	.45	.45
804	Corn meal, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300
808	Do	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0167	.0167	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250
815	Do	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0400	.0400
817	Do							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
821	Do							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
804	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.34	.18	.20	.17	.17	.18	.36	.34	.20	.22	.21	.20
808	Do	.30	.18	.17	.16	.16	.17	.36	.33	.3	.22	.21	.21
815	Do	.38	.26	.22	.20	.25	.20	.40	.43	.23	.23	.20	.22
818	Do							.38	.38	.25	.21	.21	.22
819	Do											.21	.21
821	Do							.38	.35	.23	.23	.22	.22
808	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.25	(2)					.25	(2)				
818	Do	.25	.20					.30	(2)				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
804	Tub	.35	.34	.34	.29	.29	.30	.48	.40	.37	.40	.38	.33
808	Do	.35	.28	.29	.27	.25	.25	.40	.37	.37	.39	.37	.31
817	Print									.40	.38	.35	.32
818	Tub							.44	.43	.36	.39	.41	.35
821	Print							.43	.38	.32	.38	.35	.33
	Potatoes, Irish:												
804	Per peck	.25	.25	.20	.23	.50	.60	.33	.35	.38	.45	.40	.55
808	Per bushel	.65	.65	.65	.75	.75	.53						
	Per peck							.30	.35	.35	.40	.38	.47
815	Do	.30	.40	.40	.40	.60	.60	.35	.35	.40	.45	.45	.50
817	Do							.35	.40	.40	.40	.45	.50
819	Per pound							.03	.03	.03	.03	.03⅓	.03⅓
821	Per peck							.35	.40	.40	.40	.60	.45

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Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
804	Sugar, granulated, per pound	$0.0550	$0.0550	$0.0550	$0.0550	$0.0600	$0.0600	$0.0650	$0.0660	$0.0660	$0.0600	$0.0600	$0.0650
808	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
815	Do	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650
817	Do							.0645	.0645	.0645	.0645	.0597	.0597
819	Do							.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600
821	Do							.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600
806	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, pasteurized, per quart	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
809	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	(1)
811	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
813	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
814	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08

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906	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.24	$0.24
911	Do	.21	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24	.24
915	Do							.18	.18	.18	.19	.20	.20
919	Do	.24	.24	.22	.22	.24	.22	.22	.22	.23	.25	.25	.25
920	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22
923	Do							.18	.18	.18	.21	.23	.20
906	Round steak, per pound	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
911	Do	.17	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20
915	Do							.16	.16	.16	.17	.18	.18
919	Do	.17	.17	.16	.17	.17	.17	.18	.19	.19	.20	.22	.22
920	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
923	Do							.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.18
906	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
911	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
915	Do							.14	.14	.14	.15	.16	.16
919	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22
920	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
923	Do							.14	.14	.14	.16	.20	.18

906	Chuck roast, per pound							.14	.14	.14	.15	.16	.16
911	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16
915	Do							.12½	.12	.12½	.14	.14	.14
919	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
920	Do							.15	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14
923	Do							.10	.10	.10	.14	.14	.14
906	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.17	.17	.16	.17	.16	.16	.16	.15	.17	.20	.20	.20
911	Do	.16	.16	.16	.17	.17	.17	.15	.14	.16	.18	.19	.18
915	Do							.15	.15	.17	.19	.18	.18
919	Do	.17	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.14	.17	.19	.19	.18
920	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
923	Do							.14	.14	.16	.18	.19	.19
906	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound							.20	.18	.20	.22	.22	.22
911	Do	.20	.20	.19	.19	.19	.18	.18	.17	.17	.17	.20	.20
914	Do	.27	.27	.27	.27	.27	.26	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
915	Do							.22	.20	.20	.24	.24	.24
919	Do	.29	.29	.29	.27	.26	.26	.25	.25	.25	.25	.27	.27
920	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
923	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
906	Whole							.16	.15	.16	.17	.18	.18
911	Whole, 8 to 12 pounds	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16	.17	.17	.17
914	Whole, 10 to 14 pounds	.17	.17	.17	.17	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18
915	Sliced							.25	.25	.25	.25	.26	.25
919	Do							.28	.28	.28	.28	.32	.32
920	Whole, 8 to 12 pounds	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16
923	Whole, 9 to 16 pounds							.15	.15	.14	.16	.16	.17
901	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.16	.16	.14	.14	.12	.12	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14
906	Do							.14	.14	.14	.15	.16	.16
908	Do	.18	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16
911	Do							.14	.13	.14	.14	.15	.16
914	Do	.16	.16	.16	.15	.13	.12	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.15
915	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
919	Do	.17	.16	.12	.12	.13	.12	.14	.14	.13	.14	.14	.14
920	Do							.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14
923	Do							.12	.12	.12	.12	.13	.14
906	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.16	.20	.20	.18
911	Do	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18
915	Do							.14	.14	.14	.15	.18	.17
919	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.22	.22	(1)
920	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.25	.18
923	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20

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Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
904	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	$0.17	$0.17	$0.19	$0.20	$0.19	$0.18	$0.17	$0.18	$0.20	$0.22	$0.20	$0.18
906	Do							.18	.19	.22	.22	.20	.20
911	Do	.17	.17	.19	.20	.19	.18	.17	.18	.20	.22	.21	.18
915	Do	.17	.18	.18	.18	.17	.17	.18	.18	.20	.21	.20	.18
919	Do	.20	.21	.21	.23	.21	.20	.18	.20	.22	.22	.20	.19
920	Do							.18	.18	.20	.22	.22	.18
923	Do							.16	.17	.19	.20	.19	.17
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
901	Gold Medal							.90	.95	.95	.93	.95	.95
908	Do	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	.95	1.00	1.00
914	Special brand	.60	.60	.60	.60	.58	.58	.65	.63	.63	.63	.72	.75
916	Prospect	.63	.66	.63	.63	.66	.66	.69	.69	.69	.69	.72	(1)
918	Best on Earth	.85	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80	.90	.90	.90	.90	.93	.93
919	Pillsbury's Best	.88	.88	.85	.85	.85	.85	.93	.95	.95	.95	1.00	.95
921	Do							.93	.95	.95	.95	.95	1.00
922	Gold Medal							.85	.85	.85	.90	1.00	.95
901	Corn meal, per pound							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
908	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0400	.0400
914	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300
916	Do							.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	(1)
918	Do	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
919	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0250	.0250
921	Do							.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
922	Do							.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
901	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.45	.24	.22	.21	.20	.24	.35	.40	.24	.24	.24	.24
908	Do	.50	.23	.25	.21	.20	.23	.47	.43	.28	.26	.25	.27
914	Do							.46	.40	.28	.28	.25	.27
916	Do							.42	.42	.28	.27	.25	(1)
918	Do	.38	.27	.24	.25	.22	.22	.43	.44	.30	.26	.26	.26
919	Do	.40	.25	.21	.20	.21	.20	.44	.40	.27	.25	.25	.27
921	Do							.37	.41	.25	.25	.23	.23
922	Do							.45	.45	.28	.28	.25	.25

908	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)					.35	(1)				
916	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	(1)				
918	Do	(1)	(1)					.24	(1)				
919	Do	(1)	(1)					.25	.21				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
901	Tub	.36	.32	.32	.28	.28	.28	.40	.40	.36	.38	.38	.32
902	Print	.37	.34	.33	.30	.29	.30	.44	.40	.37	.40	.38	.33
908	Do	.35	.35	.34	.30	.30	.30	.45	.36	.38	.41	.38	.34
913	Do							.40	.35	.33	.33	.33	.30
914	Do							.45	.38	.38	.40	.38	.34
916	Do							.45	.41	.38	.40	.39	(1)
918	Do	.37	.34	.34	.29	.30	.32	.47	.43	.38	.41	.39	.34
919	Do	.35	.34	.30	.29	.30	.30	.44	.40	.38	.39	.35	.33
921	Do							.43	.40	.36	.37	.36	.32
922	Do							.50	.42	.38	.38	.38	.33
901	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.15	.15	.15	.20	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35	.45	.45	.45
908	Do	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.40	.40	.40	.50	.45	.50
914	Do							.34	.34	.38	.48	.43	.53
916	Do							.35	.35	.40	.45	.42	(1)
918	Do	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.55	.35	.40	.40	.50	.50	.50
919	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.30	(1)	.38	.40	.45	.45	.35
921	Do							.38	.38	.38	.45	.38	.50
922	Do							.40	.40	.40	.40	.45	.35
901	Sugar, granulated, per pound							.0650	.0700	.0700	.0650	.0600	.0600
908	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0700	.0700	.0650	.0650	.0650
914	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0700	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
916	Do							.0660	.0660	.0700	.0660	.0660	(1)
918	Do							.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650
919	Do	.0600	.0660	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0660	.0660	.0700	.0660	.0660	.0600
921	Do							.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650
922	Do							.0660	.0660	.0660	.0660	.0660	.0660
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
902	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
909	Raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	(1)
910	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
912	Raw	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
913	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08

[1] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

DALLAS, TEX.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1002	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.20
1004	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20
1008	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
1011	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
1014	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
1002	Round steak, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½
1004	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½
1008	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	(1)	(1)
1011	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20	.20
1014	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	(1)	(1)
1002	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.22½	.22½	.18
1004	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.20
1008	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)
1011	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20
1013	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½
1002	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15
1004	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1008	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	(1)	(1)
1011	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1014	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	(1)	(1)
1002	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.20
1004	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20
1008	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
1011	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.20	.20
1014	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
1002	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40
1004	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
1008	Do	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	(1)	(1)
1014	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	(1)	(1)
1002	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1004	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1008	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	(1)	(1)
1014	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

1002	Lard, pure leaf, per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
10113	Do	.95	.95	.95	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.70	.90
101	Do	.85	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.85
1002	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.22	.20	.20	.20
1004	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1008	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
1013	Do	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1014	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
1002	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1004	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.18	.17
1008	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.15	.17½	(1)	(1)
1011	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.15	.20	.15
1013	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
1002	American Beauty	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
1005	Do	.80	.80	.80	.75	.75	.75	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85
1012	Crystal	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	(1)	(1)
1013	American Beauty	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90
1002	Corn meal, per pound	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
1011	Do	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
1012	Do	.0200	.0200	.0171	.0171	.0171	.0171	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0257	(1)	(1)
1013	Do	.0171	.0171	.0171	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0229	.0229	.0229	.0229	.0229	.0229
1002	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.50	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
1003	Do	.32½	.40	.20	.20	.22½	.20	.50	.30	.23	.22	.22½	.22½
1005	Do	.35	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.40	.30	.25	.25	.20	.25
1011	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	(1)	(1)	.25	.25	.25	.25
1012	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	(1)	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
1013	Do	(1)	(1)	.20	.20	.20	(1)	.50	.30	.20	.25	.25	.30
1002	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.35	.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1003	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1005	Do	.35	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	.30	.....	.....	.....	.....
1011	Do	.30	.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	.35	.....	.....	.....	.....
1012	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1013	Do	.30	.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1002	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.45	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35
1005	Do	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30
1012	Do	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.35	.35	.35	.35	(1)	(1)
1013	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.45	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35

[1] No quotation.

[2] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

DALLAS, TEX.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Potatoes, Irish:												
1005	Per peck	$0.35	$0.35	$0.40	$0.35	$0.50	$0.60	$0.40	$0.40	$0.45	$0.50	$0.40	$0.40
1011	Per 12½ pounds	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.65	.45	.40	.50	.50	.50	.50
1012	Per peck	.35	.30	.30	.30	.35	.60	.40	.40	.45	.45	(1)	.....
1013	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.60	.40	.40	.40	.50	.40	.50
1002	Sugar, granulated, in 25-cent or $1 lots, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0714	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0714
1005	Do	.0625	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667
1012	Do	.0556	.0556	.0526	.0526	.0556	.0556	.0625	.0667	.0606	.0606	(1)	(1)
1013	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0625	.0625
1014	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	(1)	(1)
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
1001	Raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
1006	Do	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
1007	Pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
1009	(2)	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	(1)	(1)

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1101	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22½	$0.17½	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22½	$0.25	$0.25
1103	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.17	.17	.17½	.20	.20	.20
1104	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.15	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20
1105	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.17½	.17½	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1109	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.27½
1111	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25
1115	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.22½	.25
1116	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1101	Round steak, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.15	.17½	.20	.25	.25
1103	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.20
1104	Do	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.17½	.18	.18	.20	.20
1105	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

1109	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20
1111	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.22	.22
1115	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.15	.17½	.20	.20	.25
1116	Do							.15	.18	.18	.22	.22	.25
1101	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
1103	Do							.15	.15	.12½	.15	.17	.17
1105	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1109	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.20
1111	Do	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17
1115	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.17	.18	.20	.20	.22½
1116	Do							.15	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25
1101	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15
1103	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
1104	Do							.10	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
1105	Do							.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1109	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15
1111	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
1115	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.18
1116	Do							.12½	.15	.15	.15	.17	.20
1101	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.15	.17½	.20	.20	.20
1103	Do							.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20
1104	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.12½	.12½	.20	.17½	.17½	.15
1105	Do	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1109	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
1111	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.15
1115	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.15	.15	.15	.20	.17½	.17½
1116	Do							.12½	.15	.15	.17	.17	.17
1101	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1103	Do							.22½	.22½	.22½	.25	.25	.25
1104	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1105	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1109	Do	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
1111	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1115	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30
1116	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1101	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1103	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1104	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.20	.20	.20	.25	.20	.25
1105	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1109	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
1111	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1115	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30
1116	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25

[1] No quotation.

[2] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

DENVER, COLO.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1101	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15
1103	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1109	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
1111	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
1115	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.17½	.17½
1116	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17
1101	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.22½	.20
1103	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.17½	.17½	.17½
1104	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.17½	.18
1105	Do	.12½	.12½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1109	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.17½	.17½
1111	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.20	.20
1115	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.16	.18	.18
1116	Do							.15	.15	.15	.22	.22	.25
1101	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.19	.19	.20	.20	.22	.20
1103	Do							.15	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
1104	Do	.20	.22½	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.18
1105	Do	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18	.20	.14	.14	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1109	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20
1111	Do	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.16	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1115	Do	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.21	.20
1116	Do							.13	.18	.20	.20	.17	.16
	Flour, wheat, per ¼-barrel bag:												
1101	Pride of the Rockies	1.35	1.30	1.30	1.25	1.25	1.30	1.35	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.50	1.45
1103	Do							1.35	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.50	1.45
1104	Do	1.35	1.30	1.30	1.25	1.25	1.30	1.35	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.50	1.50
1105	Hungarian	1.35	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.35	1.40	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1109	Pride of the Rockies	1.35	1.30	1.30	1.25	1.25	1.30	1.35	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.45	1.45
1111	Hungarian	1.35	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.35	1.40	1.40	1.45	1.50	1.45
1115	Do	1.35	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.35	1.40	1.40	1.45	1.50	1.45
1116	Do							1.35	1.40	1.40	1.45	1.50	1.45
1101	Corn meal, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0250
1103	Do							.0278	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0278

1104	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300
1105	Do	.0300	.0300	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1109	Do	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0333	.0333
1111	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0229	.0229	.0229	.0229	.0250	.0229
1115	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1116	Do							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1101	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25
1103	Do	.25	.23	.20	.20	.20	.20	.45	.35	.30	.30	.25	.25
1104	Do	.30	.30	.35	.30	.25	.25	.50	.35	.35	.35	.25	.25
1109	Do	.40	.30	.20	.15	.20	.20	.45	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25
1111	Do	.30	.30	.30	(2)	(2)	.25	.45	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25
1115	Do	.40	.40	.35	.25	.25	.25	.45	.40	.30	.25	.30	.30
1116	Do							.45	.35	.30	.25	.25	.25
1101	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.25	.25					.35	(2)				
1103	Do	(2)	(2)					.35	(2)				
1104	Do	.20	.20					.30	(2)				
1109	Do	.30	.20					.30	(2)				
1111	Do	(2)	(2)					.35	(2)				
1115	Do	.30	.30					.40	(2)				
1116	Do	(2)	(2)					.30	(2)				
1101	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35
1103	Do	.30	.30	.35	.28	.28	.30	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35
1104	Do	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.40	.35	.35	.35	(2)
1105	Do	.35	.32½	.32½	.27½	.27½	.27½	.35	.32½	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1109	Do	.35	.35	.33	.30	.28	.28	.40	.38	.35	.35	.35	.35
1111	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35
1115	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
1116	Do							.40	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
1101	Potatoes, Irish, per 100 pounds	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	2.00	2.00	2.40	2.40	2.75	3.00	2.50	2.50
1103	Do	1.60	1.65	1.75	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.50	2.50	2.60	3.00	2.75	2.75
1104	Do	1.25	1.35	1.50	1.75	2.00	4.00	2.50	2.40	3.00	3.00	2.50	2.50
1109	Do	1.25	1.25	1.35	1.75	1.65	2.08	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.78	2.50	2.27
1111	Do	1.60	1.65	1.75	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.25	2.75	3.00	2.50	2.50
1115	Do	1.35	1.50	1.50	1.60	1.85	3.50	2.60	2.50	3.00	3.25	2.75	2.25
1116	Do							2.40	2.25	2.65	2.75	2.50	2.50
1101	Sugar, granulated, in 50-cent or $1 lots, per pound.	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0667	.0625	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0625
1103	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0769	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714
1104	Do	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0625	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650
1109	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0625	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0625
1111	Do	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0625
1115	Do	.0556	.0556	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0769	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714
1116	Do							.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0714

[1] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

[2] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

DENVER, COLO.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
1102	Raw	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓	$0.08⅓
1107	Raw or pasteurized	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
1108	Raw	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓
1110	Do	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓
1112	Raw or pasteurized	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓

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1205	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.22	$0.24	$0.24
1206	Do	.16	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18	.17	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18
1208	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
1210	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.28
1216	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
1218	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24
1219	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
1205	Round steak, per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20
1206	Do	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16
1208	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16
1210	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20	.22
1216	Do							.16	.16	.16	.17	.18	.18
1218	Do							.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.18
1219	Do							.16	.16	.16	.19	.19	.19
1205	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.18	.20	.20
1206	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14	.15	.16	.16
1208	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16
1210	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24
1216	Do							.14	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15
1218	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22
1219	Do							.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.16

1205	Chuck roast, per pound							.12	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
1206	Do							.12	.12	.12	.13	.14	.14
1208	Do							.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14
1210	Do							.10	.10	.14	.14	.14	.15
1216	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.14	.14
1218	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14
1219	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
1205	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.13	.14	.17	.16	.18	.18
1206	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.14	.15	.17	.17	.17
1208	Do	.17	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.14	.14	.17	.17	.16
1210	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	(1)	.16	.13	.15	.16	.21	.17	.19
1216	Do							.15	.15	.15	.16	.17	.17
1218	Do							.14	.14	.14	.16	.18	.16
1219	Do							.16	.16	.16	.19	.19	.19
	Bacon, smoked, per pound:												
1201	Piece, 4 to 5 pounds							.18	.18	.17	.19	.20	.20
1205	Sliced	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1206	Do	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18	.20
1208	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
1210	Piece, 3 to 5 pounds	.21	.20	.16	.16	.17	.18	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20
1216	Sliced							.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
1218	Piece, 4 to 5 pounds							.15	.15	.15	.16	.15	.16
1219	Sliced							.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
1205	Whole, 10 to 14 pounds	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16
1206	Sliced	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22
1208	Whole, 8 to 12 pounds							.16	.15½	.15½	.16	.16½	.16½
1210	Whole, 10 to 14 pounds	.15½	.16	.14½	.15	.14½	.16½	.15	.14½	.16	.16	.16½	.17
1216	Sliced	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1218	Whole, 10 to 12 pounds							.14	.14	.14	.16	.15	.16
1219	Sliced							.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
1201	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.15	.14	.13	.13	.12	.12	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14
1203	Do	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1205	Do							.14	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15
1206	Do							.12½	.12½	.13	.13	.13	.13
1207	Do	.16	.16	.15	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
1208	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14
1209	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
1210	Do							.14	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15
1216	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.14	.14
1218	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.14	.16

[1] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

DETROIT, MICH.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1205	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	$0.14	$0.14	$0.14	$0.14	$0.14	$0.12	$0.15	$0.15	$0.16	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20
1206	Do	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.15	.15	.14	.14	.15	.15
1208	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.14	.15	.15	.17	.16
1210	Do	.15	.15	.16	.17	.17	.18	.17	.15	.16	.20	.20	.20
1216	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17
1218	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.18	.18	.18
1219	Do							.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.15
1205	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22	.18
1206	Do	.16	.17	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.19	.19	.18
1208	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.21	.19
1210	Do	(2)	.18	.20	(2)	.22	(2)	.16	.17	.20	.20	.20	.20
1216	Do							.18	.19	.20	.20	.20	.20
1218	Do							.16	.16	.16	.18	.19	.20
1219	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
1201	Gold Medal	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.88	.88	.88	.88	.90	.90
1203	Do	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
1207	Columbus	.75	.75	.70	.70	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.80	.80
1209	Stott's Fancy	.65	.65	.65	.60	.60	.60	.65	.65	.65	.65	.75	.75
1217	Commercial							.65	.65	.65	.65	.75	.75
1219	Pillsbury's Best							.85	.85	.85	.95	.95	.95
1201	Corn meal, per pound	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
1203	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1207	Do	.0260	.0260	.0260	.0260	.0260	.0260	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
1209	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1217	Do							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1219	Do							.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
1201	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.31	.22	.21	.18	.20	.20	.40	.42	.24	.23	.22	.23
1203	Do	.33	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.40	.42	.25	.24	.22	.22
1207	Do	(2)	.28	.22	.18	.20	.20	.50	.44	.24	.23	.22	.22
1209	Do	.40	.28	.20	.20	.22	.20	.40	.40	.25	.25	.23	.23
1210	Do							.42	.33	.25	.25	.25	.25
1217	Do	.42	.24	.22	.19	.20	.22	.44	.40	.28	.23	.23	.23
1219	Do							.45	.40	.30	.25	.23	.25

1201	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(2)	(2)					.28	(2)				
1203	Do	(2)	(2)					.36	.38				
1207	Do	.30	(2)					.30	.30				
1209	Do	(2)	(2)					.30	.35				
1210	Do	(2)	(2)					.37	(2)				
1217	Do	(2)	(2)					.38	.35				
1219	Do	(2)	(2)					.28	.28				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
1201	Tub	.37	.30	.31	.28	.28	.28	.40	.37	.36	.38	.35	.31
1203	Do	.36	.32	.30	.28	.28	.30	.43	.41	.36	.37	.37	.34
1204	Print							.40	.38	.35	.35	.36	.32
1207	Do	.35	.33	.30	.30	.27	.28	.42	.43	.36	.36	.36	.32
1209	Do	.36	.32	.32	.30	.30	.30	.45	.45	.35	.35	.35	.32
1210	Do							.45	.36	.35	.36	.35	.34
1217	Tub	.38	.33	.33	.30	.30	.30	.46	.38	.38	.35	.34	.32
1219	Print							.48	.45	.37	.40	.34	.33
1201	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.15	.15	.15	.20	.19	.24	.35	.38	.38	.40	.40	.50
1203	Do	.15	.15	.15	.17	.18	.20	.40	.40	.43	.40	.40	.50
1207	Do	.15	.15	.15	.18	.20	.18	.30	.32	.34	.40	.35	.35
1209	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.35	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40	.50
1217	Do	.20	.18	.18	.20	.19	.30	.30	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40
1219	Do							.40	.40	.43	.45	.40	.35
1201	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0550	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
1203	Do	.0555	.0555	.0555	.0526	.0500	.0526	.0588	.0588	.0519	.0606	.0606	.0606
1207	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0606	.0606	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
1209	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
1217	Do							.0588	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625
1219	Do							.0645	.0645	.0645	.0645	.0645	(2)
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
1202	(3)	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1204	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1211	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1212	Raw	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1213	(3)	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	(2)

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[2] No quotation.
[3] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

FALL RIVER, MASS.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1302	Sirloin steak (rump),[1] per pound	$0.26	$0.26	$0.26	$0.26	$0.26	$0.26	$0.26	$0.26	$0.28	$0.30	$0.32	$0.32
1309	Do	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.28	.32	.34
1310	Do	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30	.32	.32
1319	Do	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.24	.24	.24	.24	.28	.30
1320	Do							.28	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30
1321	Do							.24	.24	.24	.26	.30	.30
	Round steak, per pound:												
1302	Top, bone out	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.22	.24	.26	.30	.30
1304	(2)							.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.28
1309	Top, bone out	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.26	.28
1310	Whole, bone out	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
1319	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.24
1320	Top, bone out							.24	.24	.24	.24	.26	.26
1321	Whole, bone out							.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.24
1302	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.18	.20	.24	.24
1304	Do							.20	.20	.24	.24	.25	.25
1309	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.24	.24
1310	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
1319	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.20	.22
1320	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16
1321	Do							.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20
1302	Chuck roast, per pound							.10	.10	.12	.14	.18	.18
1304	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.18
1309	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16
1310	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
1319	Do							.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.16
1320	Do							.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14
1321	Do							.12	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14
1302	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.14	.14	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
1304	Do							.18	.16	.18	.20	.22	.20
1309	Do	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.16	.20	.18	.18
1310	Do	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18	.18
1319	Do	.17	.15	.15	.14	.14	.13	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
1320	Do							.15	.13	.14	.17	.16	.16
1321	Do							.15	.15	.16	.17	.18	.18

1304	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1306	Do	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.16	.20	.20	.20
1309	Do	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1310	Do	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.24	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
1319	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
1320	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1321	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
1302	Sliced	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1304	Do							.25	.25	.25	.26	.28	.30
1306	Whole, average 12 pounds	.18	.18	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17
1309	Sliced	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
1310	Whole, 12 to 14 pounds	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.18	.17	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18
1319	Sliced	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.26	.26
1320	Do							.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24
1321	Do							.24	.24	.28	.28	.26	.28
1302	Lard, pure, tub, per pound							.12	.12	.12	.13	.14	.14
1304	Do	.13	.13	.13	.12	.12	.11	.12	.12	.11	.12	.13	.13
1306	Do	.13	.13	.13	.12	.12	.11	.12	.12	.12	.13	.14	.14
1309	Do	.16	.15	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.13	.13	.15
1310	Do	.13	.13	.13	.13	.11	.11	.12	.12	.12	.13	.14	.14
1313	Do	.14	.14	.13	.12	.12	.12	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14
1319	Do							.12	.12	.12	.13	.13	.14
1321	Do							.12	.12	.12	.13	.14	.14
1309	Leg of lamb, yearling,[3] per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.18	.16	.14	.20	.20	.20
1310	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.16	.18	.18	.20	.22	.20
1315	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.25	.26
1319	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
1320	Do							.16	.16	.18	.18	.22	.16
1321	Do							.14	.14	.18	.20	.22	.22
1302	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
1304	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1309	Do	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	.24	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
1310	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	.26	(4)	(4)
1319	Do							.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	.24
1320	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
1321	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24

[1] The steak for which prices are here quoted is known as "sirloin" in most of the cities included in this report, but in this city it is called "rump."
[2] Description, "top" or "whole," bone out, not reported.
[3] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.
[4] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

FALL RIVER, MASS.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel, bag:												
1304	Gold Medal	$1.00	$1.00	$0.95	$0.95	$0.95	$0.95	$0.90	$0.90	$0.90	$0.90	$0.95	$0.95
1306	Special brand	.83	.83	.75	.75	.75	.75	.88	.88	.88	.88	.92	.92
1309	Gold Medal	.90	.90	.85	.85	.90	.90	.95	.95	.90	.95	.95	.95
1310	Supreme	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95
1313	Gold Medal	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.95	.95	.95	.95	.98	.98
1319	Do							.95	.95	.95	.90	.95	.95
1302	Corn meal, per pound	.0444	.0444	.0444	.0444	.0444	.0444	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	(1)
1304	Do	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
1306	Do	.0240	.0240	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240
1310	Do							.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0448	.0448
1313	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
1315	Do	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
1319	Do							.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400
1321	Do							.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500
1302	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen							.46	.46	.26	.30	.32	.34
1304	Do							.42	.48	.28	.30	.30	.32
1306	Do	.46	.40	.30	.25	.28	.30	.44	(1)	.32	.28	.30	.30
1309	Do	.44	.35	.32	.24	.26	.28	.42	.46	.28	.30	.30	.32
1310	Do	(1)	(1)	.34	.24	.26	.28	.44	.46	.26	.28	.30	.30
1313	Do	.38	.34	.32	.22	.24	.30	.42	.44	.30	.28	.30	.30
1317	Do	.45	.40	.40	.35	.28	.28	.45	.45	.30	.28	.28	.28
1319	Do							.48	.46	.32	.28	.30	.30
1302	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)					.38	.38				
1304	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	.34				
1306	Do	(1)	(1)					.34	(1)				
1309	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	.36				
1310	Do	(1)	(1)					.36	.40				
1319	Do	(1)	(1)					.32	.36				
1302	Butter, creamery, tub, per pound							.39	.39	.36	.38	.38	.33
1304	Do							.37	.39	.35	.37	.36	.33
1306	Do	.32	.29	.26	.25	.27	.28	.39	.36	.34	.37	.37	.34
1309	Do	.34	.30	.28	.23	.25	.26	.36	.38	.36	.36	.36	.32
1310	Do	.35	.33	.29	.27	.25	.26	.39	.39	.36	.36	.34	.34

1313	Do	.34	.30	.28	.25	.28	.28	.38	.38	.38	.36	.36	.36
1317	Do	.38	.38	.35	.32	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.40	.40	.38
1319	Do							.38	.37	.36	.37	.37	.33
1302	Potatoes, Irish, per peck							.42	.40	.40	.50	.50	.40
1304	Do							.40	.45	.45	.50	.35	.30
1306	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.40	.45	.45	.45	.45
1309	Do	.20	.20	.20	.24	.20	.50	.38	.40	.40	.45	.45	.40
1310	Do	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.40	.40	.40	.45	.45	.45	.30
1313	Do	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.30	.42	.42	.44	.50	.50	.40
1319	Do							.40	.45	.45	.45	.45	.55
1302	Sugar, granulated, in 25-cent, 50-cent, or $1 lots, per pound	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0526	(1)	.0588	.0645	.0625	.0571	.0571	.0556
1304	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0588	.0588	.0571
1306	Do	.0513	.0500	.0500	.0513	.0526	.0526	.0625	.0625	.0606	.0588	.0571	.0571
1309	Do							.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0625	.0625
1310	Do							.0625	.0606	.0625	.0588	.0588	.0571
1313	Do							.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0625
1315	Do							.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0625
1319	Do							.0625	.0606	.0625	.0588	.0588	.0588
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, per quart:												
1301	From can [2]	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1303	Bottled, raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1307	Bottled [2]	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1308	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1311	Bottled, pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1312	Bottled, raw	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08

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1402	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.23	$0.23	$0.23	$0.23	$0.23	$0.25	$0.23	$0.23	$0.25	$0.25	$0.23	$0.25
1403	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.20
1405	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.23	.25	.25
1407	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.28
1408	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25
1409	Do	.15	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.20	.22	.22
1402	Round steak, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1403	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
1405	Do	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.23
1407	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.25
1408	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22
1409	Do	.15	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.20	.22	.22

[1] No quotation.

[2] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

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INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1402	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	$0.17	$0.17	$0.17	$0.17	$0.17	$0.17	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.17	$0.18
1403	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
1405	Do	.12½	.12½	.13	.13	.13	.13	.12½	.12½	.13	.13	.15	.16
1407	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.18	.20
1408	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17
1409	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.15	.15
1402	Chuck roast, per pound							.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17
1403	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12	.12½	.12½
1405	Do							.12	.10	.12	.12	.14	.14
1407	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.16
1408	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.15
1409	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.15	.15
1402	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1403	Do	.20	.18	.18	.17	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18
1405	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.16	.18	.15	.17	.20	.20	.20
1407	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.18	.18
1408	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.15	.17	.20	.20	.20
1409	Do	.17	.17	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.18	.18
1402	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30
1403	Do	.32	.32	.32	.32	.32	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1405	Do	.25	.23	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.23	.25	.25
1407	Do	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1408	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1409	Do	.30	.28	.28	.25	.25	.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1402	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1403	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.28	.25	.28	.25
1405	Do	.25	.25	.23	.23	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28	.28
1407	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
1408	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1409	Do	.28	.25	.20	.20	.20	.23	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1402	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
1403	Do	.18	.18	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14
1405	Do	.17	.17	.17	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15

1407	Do	.15	.14	.12½	.12½	.12½	.11	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14
1408	Do	.17	.17	.13	.13	.13	.13	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
1409	Do	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14
1403	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(2)	(2)	(2)	.15	.15	.15
1407	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20
1408	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.17	.17½	.17	.17	.20	.20
1401	Hens, year or more old, dressed, drawn, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1402	Do							.18	.22	.23	.23	.22	.22
1403	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.19	.19	.19	.19	.19	.22	.20	.20
1407	Do							.22	.22	.23	.24	.23	.20
1408	Do							.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20
1415	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.18	.18	.18
	Flour, wheat:												
1402	Diadem, per ⅛-barrel bag	.75	.75	.75	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.75	.75	.80	.80
1403	Pillsbury's Best, per ⅛-barrel bag	.85	.85	.85	.85	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
1405	Tip Top, per 20-pound bag	.63	.63	.60	.60	.60	.60	.60	.60	.60	.60	.70	.70
1407	Diadem, per ⅛-barrel bag	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85
1408	Do	.80	.75	.70	.70	.70	.70	.80	.80	.80	.80	.75	.90
1409	Do	.75	.75	.70	.70	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.85	.85
1402	Corn meal, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1403	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1405	Do	.0225	.0225	.0225	.0225	.0225	.0225	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1407	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1408	Do	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1409	Do						.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0286
1402	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.40	.30	.24	.18	.18	.18	.44	.34	.26	.22	.22	.22
1403	Do	.35	.30	.25	.18	.20	.20	.40	.39	.22	.23	.22	.24
1405	Do	.35	.20	.18	.17	.18	.18	.42	.37	.23	.24	.21	.22
1407	Do	.38	.35	.32	.28	.22	.18	.45	.38	.23	.22	.20	.22
1408	Do	.35	.28	.20	.18	.17	.17	.42	.33	.23	.23	.20	.20
1409	Do	.38	.38	.20	.17	.17	.17	.40	.38	.22	.21	.20	.20
1402	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(2)	(2)					(2)	(2)				
1403	Do	.30	.25					.35	.35				
1405	Do	.30	(2)					.30	(2)				
1407	Do	(2)	(2)					.32	(2)				
1408	Do	(2)	(2)					.33	(2)				
1409	Do	.30	.28					.30	(2)				

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INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1402	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$0.42	$0.35	$0.38	$0.38	$0.35	$0.33
1403	Do	$0.35	$0.35	$0.33	$0.28	$0.30	$0.30	.45	.42	.35	.38	.38	.35
1405	Do	.37	.33	.33	.28	.28	.28	.43	.40	.35	.38	.38	.33
1407	Do	.33	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.45	.40	.37	.39	.38	.35
1408	Do	.35	.32	.34	.30	.28	.30	.45	.38	.32	.35	.35	.32
1409	Do	.35	.32	.30	.25	.25	.27	.39	.37	.35	.36	.36	.33
1402	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.80	.35	.35	.40	.40	.45	.40
1403	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.75	.35	.35	.35	.40	.40	.50
1405	Do	.18	.18	.18	.22	.20	.35	.35	.35	.40	.45	.40	.60
1407	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.35	.35	.35	.38	.45	.40	.55
1408	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.60	.40	.35	.35	.45	.45	.45
1409	Do	.18	.18	.20	.17	.17	.60	.35	.35	.40	.45	.40	.40
1402	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0700	.0700	.0600	.0600	.0700	.0700
1403	Do	.0556	.0556	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714
1405	Do	.0600	.0556	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0556	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0645	.0645	.0645
1407	Do	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0769	.0769	.0714	.0769	.0714	.0714
1408	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0700	.0667	.0667	.0650	.0650	.0650
1409	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
1406	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1411	Raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1412	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1413	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1414	Raw	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07

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1506	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25
1510	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.25	.30	(1)	(1)
1512	Do	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.23	.23	.26
1515	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.35

1506	Round steak, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1510	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
1512	Do	.18	.17	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.18	.18	.19	.19	.20
1515	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25
1506	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1510	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)	(1)
1512	Do	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.21	.21	.25
1515	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1506	Chuck roast, per pound							.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12
1510	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	(1)	(1)
1512	Do							.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.10
1515	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15
1516	Do							.10	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½	(1)
1506	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20	.20
1510	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.18	.20	.18	.25	(1)	(1)
1512	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.15	.15	.16	.16	.18
1515	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25
1506	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1509	Do	.32	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
1510	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.30	(1)	(1)
1512	Do	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.25	.23	.22	.22	.23	.23	.23
1515	Do							.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
1505	Whole, 10 to 12 pounds	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.19	.19	.19	.20	.20
1506	Sliced	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1509	Whole, 8 to 10 pounds	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1512	Sliced	.25	.26	.26	.24	.24	.24	.21	.21	.21	.22	.22	.22
1514	Whole, 8 to 10 pounds							.23	.23	.22	.21	(1)	.21
1515	Sliced							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1505	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.13	.13	.13	.13	.15	.15
1506	Do	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
1509	Do	.15	.16	.14	.14	.14	.13	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
1514	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1506	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1510	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.16	.17	.20	(1)	(1)
1512	Do	.18	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16
1515	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.30

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Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1506	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20
1510	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.23	.22	.22	.25	(1)	(1)
1512	Do	.20	.18	.20	.18	.18	.18	.19	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1515	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.25
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
1501	Roller Champion	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.10	1.10
1505	Canopy	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.80	.80	.80	.80	.90	.90
1509	Town Talk	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.95	.95	.95	.95	1.00	1.00
1514	De Soto							.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
1501	Corn meal, per pound	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0400	.0400	.0400
1505	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300
1509	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0333	.0333	.0333
1514	Do							.0300	0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
	Eggs, strictly fresh, per dozen:												
1505	Tennessee or near-by	.40	.35	.30	.25	.20	.20	.50	.40	.25	.25	.24	.24
1506	Near-by							.50	.35	.30	.30	.25	.25
1507	Do							.40	.35	.30	.25	.30	.25
1509	Do	.40	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.40	.30	.30	.30	.30
1510	Do	.40	.40	.35	.35	.30	.30	.50	.50	.25	.28	(1)	(1)
1514	Do							.33	.28	.25	.30	.30	.25
1505	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.32	.30					.40	.32				
1506	Do	.28	(1)					.28	(1)				
1509	Do	.30	(1)					.35	.35				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
1505	Tub	.38	.38	.38	.36	.36	.36	.42	.42	.40	.40	.39	.39
1506	Print							.45	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40
1509	Do	.38	.38	.35	.35	.35	.35	.45	.45	.42	.42	.40	.40
1510	Do	.40	.40	.40	.30	.30	.35	.50	.50	.40	.43	(1)	(1)
1512	Do	.34	.34	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.38	.39	.40	.40	.35
1514	Tub							.50	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40
1505	Potatoes Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.45	.45	.45	.45	.70	.45	.45
1509	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.45	.45	.45	.45	.60	.60

1510	Do	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.35	.40	.45	.45	.50	(1)	(1)
1514	Do							.40	.40	.40	.50	.50	.50
1501	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714
1505	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625
1509	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0833	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0714	.0714
1514	Do							.0800	.0800	.0800	.0700	.0700	.0700
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
1502	Raw	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
1503	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12	.12	.12	.10	.10	.10
1504	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
1507	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.10	.12	.12½	.12	.12	.12	.12½
1517	(2)							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12	.12

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1601	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20
1603	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.23
1605	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.25	.25
1606	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17½	.18	.17	.22	.22	.25
1607	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20
1615	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.18	.18	.20	.22½	.22½
1617	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
1618	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20
1619	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)	.22½	(1)
1601	Round steak, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.17½	.18	.18	.18	.18
1603	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.23
1605	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.25
1606	Do	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16	.20	.20	.20
1607	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
1615	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20
1617	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
1618	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.16	.16	.17½	.20	.20	.20
1619	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	(1)	(1)	.20	(1)
1601	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.18
1603	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20
1605	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
1606	Do	.15	.16	.16	.17	.16	.15	.14	.14	.15	.17½	.15	.17
1607	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
1615	Do	.15	.15	.14	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
1617	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1618	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.15	.18	.18	.20

[1] No quotation.

[2] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

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KANSAS CITY, MO.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1601	Chuck roast, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$0.15	$0.12½	$0.12½	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15
1603	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
1605	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
1606	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12	.12½	.12½	.15	.12	.16
1607	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.10	.10	.10	.12½	.12½
1615	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.11	.11	.11	.12	.15	.15
1617	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
1618	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.16
1619	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	.15	(1)
1601	Pork chops, loin, per pound	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	.17	.15	.17	.20	.18	.20
1603	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
1605	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½
1606	Do	.16	.16	.14	.14	.14	.16	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20	.18
1607	Do	.17½	.16	.16	.15	.12½	.12½	.15	.12½	.15	.17½	.15	.15
1615	Do	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
1617	Do	.17½	.17	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.17½
1618	Do	.18	.15	.13	.13	.15	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.20	.17½	.16
1619	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	.17	(1)
1601	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1603	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1605	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
1606	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1615	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.22½	.20
1617	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30
1618	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28
1619	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.23	.23	(1)	(1)	.25	(1)
1601	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1603	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.22½	.25	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25
1605	Do	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30
1606	Do	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1615	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.20	.20	.20	.25	.22½	.25
1617	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30
1618	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.20	.20	.25	.25	.30	.28
1619	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.25	.25	(1)	(1)	.25	(1)

1601	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1603	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
1605	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
1606	Do	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15	.15
1615	Do	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.15	.16	.16
1617	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1618	Do	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16
1619	Do	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	.15	(1)
1601	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
1605	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1606	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.15	.20	(1)	(1)
1607	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
1615	Do	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.14	.14	.15	.17½	.22½
1618	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.17	.18	.18
	Hens, year or more old, per pound:												
1601	Live	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.17	.15	.16	.16	.15
1605	Dressed, not drawn	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.16⅔	.17½	.17½	.16	.15½
1607	Do	.15	.15	.15	.14	.14	.14	.16	.15	.17	.17	.16½	.15
1611	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	(1)	(1)	(2)	.18	.17	.16
1614	Do	.18	.18	.17	.17	.17	.15	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.15
1615	Do	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.13	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1617	Live	.17	.17	.16	.15	.14	.14	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16	.17½
1618	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14	.16	.....	.....	.....
	Dressed, not drawn	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.18	.17	.16
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
1601	Aristos	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.80	.80
1603	Queen of Pantry	.95	.95	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
1606	Kelly's Best	.75	.75	.75	.75	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
1615	Do	.75	.75	.75	.70	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
1617	Aristos	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
1619	Do	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	(1)	(1)	.75	(1)
1601	Corn meal, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286
1603	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300
1605	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0286	.0200	.0167	.0308	.0333	.0333
1606	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200
1615	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0278	.0278	.0278	.0250	.0250	.0278	.0278
1617	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286
1618	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0333
1619	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0286	.0286	(1)	(1)	.0286	(1)
1601	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.25	.25	.20	.15	.17½	.18	.35	.30	.25	.25	.20	.20
1603	Do	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.35	.25	.25	.25	.23	.23
1605	Do	.35	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.40	.35	.28	.25	.25	.25
1606	Do	.30	.30	.25	.20	.20	.20	.35	.35	.25	.25	.25	.20

[1] No quotation.

[2] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1615	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	$0.30	$0.30	$0.25	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.40	$0.30	$0.25	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.20
1617	Do							.38	.35	.25	.25	.22	.22
1618	Do	.35	.20	.20	.15	.18	.18	.40	.30	.25	.23	.21	.22
1619	Do	.25	.25	.15	.15	.18	.18	(1)	.30	(1)	(1)	.20	(1)
1605	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.35	(1)					.35	(1)				
1606	Do	.25	(1)					.30	(1)				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
1601	Print	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.40	.35	.40	.35	.35
1603	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.45	.38	.38	.38	.38	.33
1605	Do	.30	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30	.45	.35	.35	.40	.35	.35
1606	Do	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.35	.35	.40	.38	.35
1615	Do	.32½	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.48	.40	.38	.38	.38	.35
1617	Do							.40	.35	.35	.38	.36	.32
1618	Tub	.35	.30	.30	.28	.28	.28	.40	.38	.35	.40	.32	.30
1619	Print	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.40	(1)	(1)	.38	(1)
1601	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.40	.35	.35	.40	.45	.40	.50
1603	Do	.25	.25	.40	.30	.30	.60	.40	.35	.35	.45	.40	.45
1605	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.60	.40	.40	.40	.50	.45	.40
1606	Do	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.70	.35	.40	.40	.40	.45	.50
1615	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.35	.40	.40	.45	.40	.50
1617	Do							.45	.45	.45	.50	.40	.60
1618	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.65	.40	.40	.45	.50	.40	.45
1619	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.70	.40	.40	(1)	(1)	.40	(1)
1601	Sugar, granulated, in 25-cent or $1 lots, per pound	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667
1603	Do	.0588	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0650	.0650
1605	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0667
1606	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0667	.0625	.0500	.0625	.0625
1615	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667
1617	Do							.0769	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667
1618	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0625	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0588	.0588
1619	Do	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	(1)	(1)	.0714	(1)

	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
1602	Raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
1604	Do	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.10	.10	.10	.10	(1)	(1)	(1)
1611	Pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.10	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	(1)
1612	Raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
1616	Do	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.10	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

1704	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25
1706	Do	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.25	.25	.25
1711	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.22½
1712	Do	.20	.20	.22½	.22½	.20	.20	.23	.20	.22½	.25	.25	.25
1713	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)
1704	Round steak, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20
1706	Do	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
1711	Do	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.17½
1712	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.17½	.18	.18	.20	.20
1713	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)
1704	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.18
1706	Do	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
1711	Do	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
1712	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.17½	.18	.18	.18	.18
1713	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)
1704	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
1706	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
1711	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
1712	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1713	Do							.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	(1)
1704	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.18	.18	.20	.20
1706	Do	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
1711	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.17½
1712	Do	.17½	.17½	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.17½	.18	.20	.20	.17½
1713	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)
1704	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
1706	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
1711	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30
1712	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35
1713	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	(1)

[1] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1704	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.30	$0.25
1706	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1711	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1712	Do	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30
1713	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	(1)
	Lard, pure:												
1701	Tub, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)
1702	Per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.80	.80	.80	.75	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.75
1707	Tub, per pound	.13	.13	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.13	.13	.13	.15	.15
1708	Do	.14	.14	.13	.13	.12½	.12½	.13	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14
1709	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.13	.12½	.12½	.13½	.15
1704	Leg of lamb, yearling, [2] per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.22½	.20
1706	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.15	.15	.20	.25	.20
1711	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.25	.18
1712	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.18	.17½	.18	.20	.20	.17½
1713	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	(1)
1704	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.18	.18	.17½	.17½	.17½
1706	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15
1711	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.20	.15	.17½	.18	.18
1712	Do	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17	.16	.18	.17½	.17½	.17½
1713	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
1701	Southern Cross	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	(1)	(1)
1702	Orris	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
1707	Success	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.95
1708	Angel Food	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	1.00	1.00
1709	Orris	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
1701	Corn meal, per pound	.0188	.0188	.0188	.0188	.0188	.0188	.0208	.0208	.0229	.0229	(1)	(1)
1702	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300
1707	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1708	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1709	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0292

1701	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	.35	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
1702	Do	(1)	(1)	.25	.20	.17½	(1)	.40	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
1707	Do	.30	.30	.20	.20	.20	.25	.40	.30	.20	.20	.20	.25
1708	Do	(1)	(1)	.20	.20	.25	.25	.45	.30	.25	.20	.20	.20
1709	Do	(1)	(1)	.25	.20	.20	.20	.45	.35	.20	.20	.20	.20
1715	Do	(1)	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.40	.30	.20	.20	.20	.20
1702	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.35	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	.30	.....	.....	.....	.....
1707	Do	.35	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1708	Do	.35	.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1709	Do	.35	.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	.35	.....	.....	.....	.....
1715	Do	.35	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	.30	.....	.....	.....	.....
1701	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.50	.40	.40	.40	(1)	(1)
1702	Do	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35	.45	.45	.40	.45	.45	.40
1707	Do	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35	.30	.45	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35
1708	Do	.40	.40	.40	.40	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.40	.40	.35
1709	Do	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.45	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35
1701	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40	.50	(1)	(1)
1702	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.60	.35	.45	.45	.50	.50	.50
1707	Do	.30	.30	.25	.30	.35	.40	.40	.45	.45	.50	.50	.45
1708	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.40	.40	.40	.45	.50	.50	.40
1709	Do	.30	.35	.35	.35	.45	.65	.40	.40	.40	.50	.50	.40
1701	Sugar, granulated, in $1 lots, per pound	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0667	.0769	.0714	.0714	.0714	(1)	(1)
1702	Do	.0625	.0556	.0588	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714
1707	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0650	.0700	.0650
1708	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0700	.0625	.0600	.0600
1709	Do	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667
1715	Do	.0588	.0556	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0714	.0667	.0714	.0667	.0625	.0667
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
1705	(3)	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
1710	Raw or pasteurized	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.10	.10	.10	(1)	(1)
1714	Pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.10	.08⅓	.08⅓	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11	.09 1/11
1717	Raw	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
1718	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10

[1] No quotation.

[2] The prices are for the articles generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

[3] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

LOS ANGELES, CAL.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1802	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22	$0.22	$0.20
1803	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	(1)
1806	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
1811	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
1812	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
1817	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.23	.23
1818	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.22½	.20
1802	Round steak, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20
1803	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	(1)
1806	Do	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
1811	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
1812	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18
1817	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1818	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18
1802	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.15	.15
1803	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	(1)
1806	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18	.18
1811	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.17½	.18	.18	.20	.20
1812	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
1817	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
1818	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.18	.18	.18
1802	Chuck roast, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15
1803	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	(1)
1806	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1811	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15
1812	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.10	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½
1817	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.16	.16	.17	.16	.16
1818	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.14	.15	.15	.15
1802	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1803	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)
1806	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1811	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25
1812	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
1817	Do	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25
1818	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25

1802	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35
1803	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	(1)
1806	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40	.40
1808	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	(1)	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1811	Do	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
1812	Do	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22
1816	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1817	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.35	.35
1818	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40
1802	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35
1803	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	(1)
1806	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
1811	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1812	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1817	Do	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40
1818	Do	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40
1801	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1802	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.17½	.17½
1803	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)
1806	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½
1808	Do	.17¼	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15.	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1811	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.17	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
1812	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
1815	Do	.20	.20	.20	.17	.16⅔	.15	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1816	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18
1817	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½
1802	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.18	.20	.17½
1803	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.16	.15	.16	(1)
1806	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
1811	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20	.18
1812	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17	.15
1818	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.15
	Hens, year or more old, per pound:												
1802	Dressed, not drawn	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25
1803	Live	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)
1806	Dressed, not drawn	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1811	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.25
1812	Do	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1817	Do	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.27	.28	.28	.28
1818	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30

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LOS ANGELES, CAL.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Flour, wheat:												
1801	Capital, per ¼-barrel bag	$1.65	$1.60	$1.60	$1.60	$1.60	$1.60	$1.60	$1.65	$1.70	$1.75	$1.70	$1.75
1804	A1, per ⅛-barrel bag	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90	.90
1808	Do	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90
1811	Do	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90	.90
1815	XXXX, per ¼-barrel bag	1.65	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.65	1.65	1.70	1.75	1.75	1.65
1816	A1, per ¼-barrel bag	1.65	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.65	1.70	1.75	1.75	1.75
1801	Corn meal, in 5 or 10 pound lots, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0350
1804	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350
1808	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0350	.0350
1811	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350
1815	Do	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0400	.0400	.0350
1816	Do	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0350	.0400
	Eggs, strictly fresh, per dozen:												
1801	Ranch	.40	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1804	Near-by	.40	.30	.30	.25	.25	.30	.40	.30	.25	.25	.25	.30
1808	Do	.45	.30	.25	.25	.25	.30	.35	.28	.25	.25	.25	.30
1811	Do	.40	.35	.25	.25	.25	.30	.40	.30	.25	.25	.25	.30
1815	Do	.45	.35	.25	.25	.25	.30	.45	.25	.22½	.22½	.25	.30
1816	Do	.40	.40	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30
1801	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.25	.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.25	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1808	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1811	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1815	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1816	Do	.30	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1801	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.40	.40	.35	.30	.30	.30	.42½	.42½	.37½	.30	.30	.30
1804	Do	.40	.40	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.35	.35	.35
1808	Do	.45	.40	.32	.30	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.35	.35	.35
1811	Do	.45	.40	.40	.30	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.35	.35	.35
1815	Do	.45	.40	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.35	.35	.35
1816	Do	.45	.40	.30	.30	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.35	.32½	.35

1801	Potatoes, Irish, per 100 pounds	2.00	2.00	2.25	2.50	2.50	2.75	1.90	1.90	2.50	2.35	1.75	1.75
1804	Do	2.50	2.50	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.00	2.00	2.50	3.00	2.50	3.00
1808	Do	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.60	3.10	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	2.00	1.10
1811	Do	2.10	2.50	2.75	2.80	2.75	3.25	2.10	2.40	3.35	3.00	2.35	2.25
1815	Do	2.90	2.35	3.30	2.80	3.50	3.30	2.00	2.50	3.00	2.75	2.50	1.40
1816	Do	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.30	2.50	3.00	3.25	2.50	1.85
	Sugar, granulated, per pound:												
1801	In $1 lots	.0556	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0588	.0588	.0588
1804	In 100-pound lots	.0590	.0570	.0570	.0575	.0575	.0595	.0625	.0625	.0640	.0640	.0600	.0600
1808	In $1 lots	.0556	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0588	.0588
1811	Do	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0667	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667
1815	Do	.0588	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0566	.0588	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0588
1816	Do	.0750	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0625	.0625	.0625
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
1805	Pasteurized	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
1807	Raw	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
1809	Pasteurized	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
1813	Do	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10

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1901	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.17½	$0.17½	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20
1910	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20
1911	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.17	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20
1912	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.22½
1901	Round steak, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17	.17	.17	.17½	.17½	.17½
1910	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.13	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
1911	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
1912	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20
1901	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.16	.16	.17½	.17½	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17½	.17½
1910	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.18	.17
1911	Do	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½
1912	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.20
1901	Chuck roast, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
1910	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
1911	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.10	.12½	.10	.12½	.12½
1912	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
1901	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.15	.15	.17	.20	.20	.20
1910	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.20	.20
1911	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.12½	.15	.17½	.17½	.15
1912	Do	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½

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LOUISVILLE, KY.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
1901	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.30	$0.30	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25
1905	Do	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.22	.21	.22	.20	.20
1910	Do	.27½	.27½	.30	.30	.30	.30	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20
1911	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22½	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
1912	Do	.25	.25	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
1901	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1905	Do	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
1910	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
1911	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22½	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
1912	Do	.22½	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22½	.22½	.25	.25	.25
1901	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
1904	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
1905	Do	.20	.18	.17	.17	.15	.14	.12½	.12½	.13	.13	.17½	.17½
1908	Do	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
1912	Do	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
1901	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.17½
1910	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.20	.17½
1911	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.12½
1912	Do	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.22½	.22½
1901	Hens, year or more old, dressed, drawn, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20
1906	Do	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.18	.18
1908	Do	.25	.22½	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.20	.22	.20	.22½	.22½
1912	Do	.22½	.22½	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.22
1913	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.16	.15	.16	.17	(2)	(2)
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
1901	Monarch	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.80	.85	.85
1904	Acme	.85	.85	.85	.85	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.90	.95	.95
1905	Gold Medal	.90	.85	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	1.00	1.00
1908	White Plume	.75	.75	.75	.75	.70	.70	.85	.85	.85	.85	1.00	1.00
1912	Obelisk	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.90	1.00	1.00

1901	Corn meal, in 12 or 12½ pound lots, per pound	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
1904	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0167	.0167	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250
1905	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0208	.0292	.0292	.0292	.0292	.0292	.0290
1908	Do	.0280	.0280	.0280	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0280	.0228
1912	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0292	.0292	.0292
1901	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.35	.35	.25	.20	.15	.15	.35	.30	.22½	.20	.20	.20
1904	Do	.35	.25	.20	.17½	.17½	.15	.35	.40	.22½	.20	.20	.20
1905	Do	.37½	.25	.20	.16	.17½	.15	.40	.35	.22½	.22½	.20	.20
1908	Do	.30	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.35	.30	.22½	.22½	.20	.20
1912	Do	.35	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.35	.35	.25	.22½	.20	.20
1913	Do	.30	.25	.20	.14	.14	.15	.29	.28	.20	.20	(2)	(2)
1901	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.30	.30					.30	(2)				
1904	Do	.30	.20					.30	.30				
1905	Do	.30	.17½					.25	.30				
1908	Do	.25	(2)					.25	.25				
1912	Do	.30	(2)					.30	(2)				
1913	Do	(2)	(2)					.24	(2)				
1901	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.40	.40	.35	.35	.30	.30	.45	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
1904	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.45	.40	.35	.40	.40	.35
1905	Do	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.45	.40	.37½	.38	.37½	.35
1908	Do	.40	.40	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.35	.35	.40	.35	.35
1912	Do	.40	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.40	.35	.40	.40	.35
1901	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.40	.35	.40	.50	.50	.50	.55
1904	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.40	.35	.35	.45	.50	.45	.50
1905	Do	.20	.25	.20	.25	.35	.50	.35	.40	.45	.50	.50	.50
1908	Do	.20	.15	.20	.20	.25	.40	.40	.40	.45	.45	.45	.60
1912	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.50	.35	.35	.45	.50	.50	.60
1901	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0625	.0667	.0714	.0625	.0667	.0667	(2)	.0588	.0588
1904	Do	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0667	.0625	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0625
1905	Do	.0556	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0588	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0667	.0625	.0625
1908	Do	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625
1912	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0625	.0625	.0650	.0625	.0625	(2)	(2)	(2)
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
1902	Pasteurized	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
1907	Do	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
1909	Raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓
1914	(3)	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09

[1] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

[2] No quotation.

[3] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

MANCHESTER, N. H.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2001	Sirloin steak (porterhouse)[1], per pound	$0.28	$0.28	$0.28	$0.28	$0.28	$0.28	$0.28	$0.28	$0.28	$0.30	$0.32	$0.32
2006	Do							.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35
2010	Do	.28	.27	.27	.28	.29	.28	.30	.32	.30	.30	.35	.38
2011	Do	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
2014	Do							.32	.32	.32	.32	.34	.34
	Round steak, per pound:												
2001	Whole, bone out	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22
2010	Top, bone out	.22	.22	.23	.23	.23	.23	.24	.24	.24	.27	.28	.32
2011	Whole, bone out	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.18	.18	.25	.25
2014	Top, bone out							.28	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30
2007	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.17	.17	.17	.18	.19
2010	Do	.12	.12	.13	.15	.17	.16	.15	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
2011	Do	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.12	.12	.15	.16	.18	.18
2013	Do							.16	.16	.16	(2)	(2)	(2)
2014	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
2001	Chuck roast, per pound							.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14
2007	Do							.14	.14	.14	.15	.18	.18
2010	Do							.15	.14	.14	.15	.16	.18
2011	Do							.10	.10	.10	.10	.14	.14
2014	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16
2001	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
2010	Do	.13	.13	.14	.15	.16	.17	.16	.14	.15	.18	.18	.18
2011	Do	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.15	.14	.15	.15	.18	.18
2014	Do							.16	.15	.16	.18	.18	.18
2001	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.24	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2007	Do	.25	.23	.20	.20	.20	.21	.19	.19	.19	.20	.20	.20
2010	Do	.25	.24	.23	.23	.24	.25	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
2011	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
2014	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25

2007	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
2010	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.22	.24	.24
2011	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25
2014	Do							.28	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30
	Lard, pure:												
2001	Leaf, per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.90	.90	.90	.75	.75	.75	.70	.70	.70	.75	.85	.85
2006	Tub, per pound	.12	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14	.14
2007	Do	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
2010	Do	.14	.14	.13	.13	.13	.12	.13	.13	.13	.14	.15	.15
2011	Do							.16	.15	.14	.14	.16	.16
2014	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
2001	Leg of lamb, yearling,[3] per pound	.16	.16	.16	.18	.16	.18	.15	.15	.15	.17	.20	.20
2006	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
2010	Do	.18	.19	.20	.18	.16	.17	.20	.18	.14	.20	.22	.22
2013	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	(2)	(2)	(2)
2014	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22
2006	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.23	.22	.20	.20	.20	.23	.24	.24	.24	.28	.28	.24
2010	Do	.17	.18	.19	.22	.26	.24	.20	.22	.22	.23	.24	.24
2011	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
2014	Do							.24	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
2001	Pillsbury's Best	.90	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95
2006	Do	.90	.90	.87	.87	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
2007	Do	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	1.00
2010	Ivory	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.80	.90	.90	.90	.85	.90	.90
2011	Edgeworth							.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
2001	Corn meal, in 2, 3, or 5 pound lots, per pound							.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350
2006	Do	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360	.0360
2007	Do	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350
2011	Do	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0500	.0500
2013	Do							.0333	.0333	.0333	(2)	(2)	(2)
	Eggs, strictly fresh,[4] per dozen:												
2001	Near-by							.40	.45	.28	.26	.27	.27
2006	Western	.34	.34	.34	.28	.25	.25	.32	.40	.30	.30	.28	.28
2007	Near-by							(2)	.48	.32	.28	.30	(2)
2010	Do							.44	.45	.30	.30	.27	.27
2011	Do							.45	.60	.35	.25	.25	.30
2014	Do							.40	.40	.28	.28	.28	.28

[1] The steak for which prices are here quoted is known as "porterhouse" in most of the cities included in this report, but in this city it is called "sirloin".

[2] No quotation.

[3] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

[4] The 1912 quotations for this article, for all firms except one, are for eggs known by a different trade designation from those quoted for 1907 to 1911, inclusive. The 1911 quotations for all firms except one are not, therefore, entered in this table for comparison.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

MANCHESTER, N. H.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Butter, creamery, per pound:[1]												
2001	Tub	$0.32	$0.31	$0.28	$0.30	$0.26	$0.28	$0.44	$0.44	$0.40	$0.40	$0.40	$0.38
2003	Print	.40	.36	.34	.31	.31	.33	.45	.44	.41	.43	.41	.38
2006	Do	.34	.34	.34	.30	.30	.27	.42	.45	.38	.40	.40	.38
2011	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.40	.44	.40	.40	.38	.36
2001	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.18	.18	.18	.16	.25	.23	.33	.36	.36	.38	.33	.32
2006	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.32	.35	.35	.40	.40	.30
2007	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22	.35	.38	.38	.43	.40	.35
2010	Do	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.25	.35	.35	.35	.38	.40	.30
2011	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	.35	.35	.42	.42	.35
2001	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0630	.0630	.0600	.0600	.0600
2006	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0625	.0625	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667
2007	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0650	.0650	.0650
2011	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588
2013	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0700	.0700	.0700	(1)	(1)	(1)
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
2003	Pasteurized	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07
2004	Raw	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07
2005	Do	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	(1)
2009	Pasteurized	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07
2012	Raw	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07

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2108	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22½	$0.25	$0.25
2109	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20
2111	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.22½
2112	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.21	.21	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24	.25
2116	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
2108	Round steak, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.20	.20
2109	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15

2111	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.20	.17½
2112	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.21	.22	.22
2116	Do							.15	.15	.15	.18	.20	.20
2108	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20
2109	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2111	Do	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22½	.22½
2112	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.21	.22	.22
2116	Do							.18	.18	.18	.22½	.25	.25
2108	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
2109	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2111	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
2112	Do							.15	.15	.15	.16	.17	.17
2116	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
2108	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
2109	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20
2111	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18
2112	Do	.20	.20	.20	.21	.21	.22	.20	.20	.20	.21	.22	.22
2116	Do							.17½	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20
	Bacon, smoked, per pound:												
[2]2101	Piece, 5 to 7 pounds	.30	.27½	.26½	.26½	.26½	.26½	.25½	.25	.17	.24	.24¾	.24¾
2104	Sliced							.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35
2107	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.25	.25	.35	.35	.35	.35
2108	Do							.30	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
2109	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
2111	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
2112	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35
2116	Do							.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
[2]2101	Whole, 10 to 14 pounds	.18½	.17½	.17	.17	.16	.19	.16	.16	.16	.17¼	.17⅞	.18½
2107	Sliced	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.22½	.22½	.25	.25	.25	.25
2108	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
2109	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
2111	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.25
2112	Do							.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.30
	Whole, 8 to 12 pounds	.20	.20	.21	.21	.22	.22						
2116	Sliced							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
	Lard, pure:												
[2]2101	Tub, per pound	.14	.12	.12	.11	.11	.11	.11¾	.11½	.11¾	.12¼	.13½	.13½
2104	Do	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2107	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.13	.13	.15	.15	.15	.16
2109	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2112	Leaf, per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.90	.90	.85	.80	.80	.80	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
2113	Per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.75	.75	.75	.70	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.75	.75
2116	Tub, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15

[1] No quotation.

[2] Delivers no purchases under $5.

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MEMPHIS, TENN.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2108	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.20	$0.22½	$0.22½
2109	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2111	Do	.20	.18	.20	.18	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22½	.22½
2112	Do	.20	.20	.21	.21	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.25
2116	Do							.15	.15	.15	.20	(2)	(2)
2108	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
2109	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2111	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
2112	Do	.20	.20	.20	.23	.22	.22	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2116	Do							.20	.18	.20	.20	.18	.20
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
[3] 2101	Gold Leaf	.79	.80	.77	.76	.76	.75	.78	.78	.81	.81	.91	.89
2104	Omega	.90	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90	.95	1.00	1.00
2107	Do	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.10
2109	Gold Medal	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.85	.80	.80	.85
2112	Omega	.95	.95	.95	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	.95	1.00	.95
2113	Gold Dust	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.80	.75	.75	.75	.75	.80	.85
[3] 2101	Corn meal, per pound	.0158	.0158	.0142	.0142	.0158	.0183	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0224	.0234	.0229
2104	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
2107	Do	.0160	.0160	.0160	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0286	.0250	.0250
2109	Do	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200
2112	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2113	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250
2116	Do							.0250	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0292	.0292
[3] 2101	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.38	.26	.20	.19	.18	.15	.38	.30	.24	.16	.17	.16
2104	Do	.40	.30	.25	.20	.20	.25	.35	.40	.25	.22½	.25	.25
2107	Do							.40	.45	.25	.25	.25	.20
2109	Do	.32	.31	.30	.28	.26	.26	.35	.40	.30	.25	.20	.25
2112	Do	.35	.30	.25	.20	.20	.20	.35	.30	.25	.25	.25	.23
2113	Do	.30	.30	.25	.25	.20	.15	.30	.30	.20	.20	.20	.20
2114	Do							.40	.30	.22	.22	.19	.19
2115	Do							(2)	.35	.25	.25	.20	.25

2116	Do							.35	.30	.25	.25	.20	.25
2117	Do							.35	.28	.20	.20	.19	.20
[3] 2101	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.30	.20					.31	(2)				
2107	Do	.25	.25					.35	(2)				
2114	Do	.30	(2)					.35	(2)				
2115	Do	.30	.30					.30	.30				
2117	Do	.27	.27					.30	(2)				
[3] 2101	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.40	.32	.33	.28	.29	.31	.50	.41	.38	.34	.33	.33
2104	Do	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.45	.45	.40	.40	.40	.40
2107	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.50	.50	.40	.40	.40	.40
2109	Do	.40	.37	.38	.36	.35	.35	.45	.45	.40	.40	.40	.40
2112	Do	.40	.40	.35	.35	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.40	.40	.40
2113	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.45	.40	.35	.40	.40	.35
2116	Do							.45	.45	.40	.40	.40	.35
[3] 2101	Potatoes, Irish, per peek	.19	.20	.19	.24	.23	.30	.37	.38	.41	.45	.42	.40
2104	Do	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.40	.40	.45	.50	.50	.50
2107	Do							.50	.50	.60	.60	.50	.60
2109	Do	.30	.30	.40	.30	.30	.50	.35	.40	.40	.50	.40	.45
2112	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.65	.35	.40	.40	.50	.50	.50
2113	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.40	.45	.45	.40	.45
2116	Do							.40	.40	.45	.50	.45	.50
[3] 2101	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0571	.0550	.0563	.0571	.0606	.0589	.0656	.0661	.0650	.0625	.0588	.0599
2104	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0588	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667
2107	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667
2109	Do	.0750	.0750	.0750	.0763	.0775	.0763	.0650	.0600	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625
2112	Do							.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	(2)	.0667
2113	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0625	.0714	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0588
2116	Do							.0714	.0714	.0714	.0625	.0667	.0625
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
2102	Pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
2103	(4)	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
2105	(4)	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	(2)	(2)	(2)
2106	Raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
2110	(4)	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10

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[3] Delivers no purchase under $5.

[4] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2201	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22	$0.22
2203	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.23
2205	Do							.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22
2210	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
2213	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.24
2216	Do	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
2219	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
2220	Do							.20	.20	.22	.22	(1)	(1)
2201	Round steak, per pound							.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
2203	Do	.16	.17	.18	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
2205	Do							.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20
2210	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
2213	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.22
2216	Do	.16	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.18	.18
2219	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
2220	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	(1)	(1)
2201	Rib roast, bone in, per pound							.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
2203	Do	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2205	Do							.14	.14	.14	.15	.18	.18
2210	Do	.14	.14	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
2213	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
2216	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
2219	Do							.13	.13	.13	.13	.15	.15
2220	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
2201	Chuck roast, per pound							.14	.14	.15	.15	.14	.16
2203	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16
2205	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.16
2210	Do							.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14
2213	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.16
2216	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
2219	Do							.12	.12	.12	.12	.13	.13
2220	Do							.14	.14	.15	.16	(1)	(1)

2201	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.20	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15	.14	.18
2203	Do							.17	.16	.16	.20	.20	.18
2205	Do							.15	.15	.16	.18	.18	.18
2210	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.14	.15	.17	.17	.17
2213	Do	.16	.16	.15	.15	.14	.15	.15	.14	.16	.18	.17	.17
2216	Do	(1)	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.12	.15	.17	.16	.16
2219	Do							.14	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16
2220	Do							.18	.18	.17	.17	(1)	(1)
2201	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.22	.24
2203	Do							.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
2205	Do	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24
2210	Do	.28	.28	.26	.26	.26	.26	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24
2213	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.20	.20	.22	.22	.24	.24
2216	Do	.26	.26	.25	.25	.25	.25	.24	.24	.24	.24	.22	.22
2219	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2220	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)	(1)
2201	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24
2203	Do							.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25
2205	Do	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24
2210	Do	.28	.28	.26	.26	.26	.26	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24
2213	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.25	.24	.24
2216	Do	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20
2219	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2220	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)	(1)
2201	Lard, pure, tub, per pound							.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
2202	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14
2205	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.12½	.12½
2207	Do	.18	.18	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2208	Do	.16	.15	.15	.14	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
2209	Do	.17	.17	.15	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16
2210	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
2212	Do	.16	.16	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.14
2213	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2214	Do							.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14
2201	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound							.16	.16	.18	.20	.20	.18
2203	Do	.16	.15	.16	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	.20	.20
2205	Do							.16	.16	.18	.20	.20	.20
2210	Do	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.22	.20
2213	Do	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20	.20
2216	Do	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18
2219	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16
2220	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	(1)	(1)

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MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2201	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	$0.17	$0.17	$0.17	$0.17	$0.17	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.18
2203	Do	.18	.18	.17	.18	.20	.15	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.18
2205	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
2210	Do	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22	.20	.16	.16	.20	.23	.22	.18
2213	Do	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	.20	.18
2216	Do							.16	.16	.18	.20	.19	.17
2219	Do							.15	.15	.16	.20	.20	.20
2220	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
2202	Gold Medal	.85	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2207	Success	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2208	Do	.80	.80	.80	.75	.75	.75	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2209	Do	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.90	.90
2212	Pillsbury's Best	.80	.80	.80	.80	.75	.75	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
2214	Do							.75	.75	.80	.80	.80	.80
2202	Corn meal, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2207	Do	.0300	.0300	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0250	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0300
2208	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400
2209	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
2212	Do							.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0400
2214	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2202	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.38	.27	.21	.18	.19	.19	.42	.34	.24	.23	.21	.23
2207	Do	.45	.21	.23	.21	.21	.21	.45	.37	.25	.25	.20	.21
2208	Do	(1)	.22	.22	.18	.19	.19	.32	.35	.25	.24	.22	.22
2209	Do	.36	.30	.22	.18	.20	.20	.36	.42	.23	.23	.21	.20
2210	Do							.45	.45	.25	.24	.24	.24
2212	Do	.38	.23	.22	.18	.19	.19	(1)	.38	.23	.24	.22	.22
2214	Do							.44	.35	.23	.22	.20	.20
2217	Do							.36	.36	.28	.23	.21	.21
2202	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)					.27	.22				
2207	Do	.30	(1)					.34	(1)				
2208	Do	.30	(1)					(1)	(1)				
2209	Do	.30	(1)					.30	(1)				

2210	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	.30				
2212	Do	(1)	(1)					.28	(1)				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
2202	Print	.35	.32	.31	.26	.27	.27	.42	.42	.36	.38	.37	.30
2204	Do							.40	.36	.33	.35	.34	.29
2207	Do	.36	.32	.32	.26	.27	.28	.41	.37	.34	.36	.35	.30
2208	Tub	.34	.30	.30	.25	.25	.26	.41	.35	.33	.35	.33	.30
2209	Do	.32	.30	.30	.25	.26	.26	.37	.37	.34	.36	.35	.30
2212	Print	.32	.30	.30	.25	.27	.27	.43	.37	.34	.36	.35	.30
2214	Do							.43	.35	.33	.34	.30	.29
2215	Do							.44	.40	.32	.35	(1)	(1)
2218	Do							.39	.36	.34	.36	.34	.29
2202	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.60	.35	.35	.40	.45	.40	.35
2207	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.35	.38	.40	.45	.40	.60
2208	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.18	.25	.35	.35	.45	.40	.40
2209	Do	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.30	.35	.35	.38	.42	.40	.40
2212	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.25	.30	.35	.35	.38	.45	.40	.40
2214	Do							.30	.35	.35	.40	.35	.35
2202	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
2207	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
2208	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0500	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650
2209	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
2212	Do	.0550	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
2214	Do							.0600	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
2204	Pasteurized	.07	.07	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06
2206	Do	.07	.07	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06
2215	Do	.07	.07	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06
2217	(2)	.07	.07	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06
2218	Pasteurized	.07	.07	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06	.06

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2302	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20
2306	Do							.22	.22	.22	(1)	(1)	(1)
2307	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2314	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.16	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22
2315	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
2316	Do							.18	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22

[1] No quotation.

[2] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2302	Round steak, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18
2306	Do							.18	.18	.18	(1)	(1)	(1)
2307	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
2314	Do	.15	.15	.15	.18	.17	.18	.15	.16	.16	.18	.20	.22
2315	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.18	.20	.20
2316	Do							.15	.15	.15	.17	.18	.18
2302	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17	.17	.17	.20	.20
2306	Do							.18	.18	.18	(1)	(1)	(1)
2307	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
2314	Do	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22
2315	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
2316	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18
2302	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14
2306	Do							.12½	.12½	.14	(1)	(1)	(1)
2307	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2314	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.15
2315	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14
2316	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.15	.15
2302	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.17	.17	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.18	.18
2306	Do							.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)
2307	Do	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
2314	Do	.17	.16	.16	.16	.15	.14	.14	.15	.15	.16	.16	.15
2315	Do	.17	.15	.15	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18
2316	Do							.12½	.15	.15	.17	.17	.17
	Bacon, smoked, per pound:												
2302	Sliced	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.23	.23	.25
2306	Piece, 5 to 10 pounds	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17	.17	(1)	(1)	(1)
2307	Sliced	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
2308	Piece, 5 pounds							.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20
2314	Piece, 10 pounds							.18	.18	.17	.18	.18	.18
2315	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
2316	Do							.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20

	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
2302	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
2306	Whole, 12 to 16 pounds	.15	.15	.13	.14½	.14	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)
2307	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
2314	Do							.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
2315	Whole, 12 to 16 pounds	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.18
2316	Sliced							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2301	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13
2302	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2304	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2307	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2308	Do	.17	.17	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.17	.17	.17
2309	Do	.16	.16	.15	.15	.13	.13	.15	.15	.13	(1)	(1)	(1)
2312	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2314	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16
2315	Do							.13	.13	.13	.12	.14	.14
2316	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
2302	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.12½	.15	.15	.14	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.18	.18
2306	Do	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12½	.12½	.12½	(1)	(1)	(1)
2314	Do	.15	.14	.14	.15	.15½	.14	.12½	.12½	.14	.15	.16	.15
2315	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
2316	Do							.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.18	.18
2302	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18	.15	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18
2306	Do	.18	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	(1)	(1)	(1)
2307	Do	.16	.17	.18	.20	.20	.15	.15	.15	.18	.20	.20	.18
2314	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18
2315	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.18
2316	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.16
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
2301	Gold Medal	.85	.80	.80	.80	.75	.75	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
2304	Do							.80	.85	.85	.85	.90	.85
2307	Pillsbury's Best or Gold Medal	.85	.80	.75	.75	.75	.75	.80	.85	.85	.85	.90	.85
2308	Ceresota	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.85
2309	Gold Medal	.80	.75	.75	.75	.80	.75	.85	.85	.85	(1)	(1)	(1)
2312	Do							.80	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2315	Special brand	.70	(1)	.67	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.70	.75	.75
2301	Corn meal, in 10-pound lots, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2304	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300
2307	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0280	.0280
2308	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300
2309	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	(1)	(1)	(1)
2312	Do							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2315	Do							.0230	.0230	.0230	.0230	.0220	.0230

[1] No quotation.

[2] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

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Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2301	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	$0.50	$0.25	$0.20	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.40	$0.35	$0.23	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22
2304	Do							.40	.30	.22	.23	.20	.20
2305	Do							.47	.35	.25	.22	.21	.20
2307	Do	.38	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.35	.35	.25	.25	.23	.23
2308	Do	(1)	.35	.20	.18	.20	.20	.45	.35	.23	.22	.25	.22
2309	Do	.33	.30	.20	.20	.22	.22	.45	.36	.21	(1)	(1)	(1)
2310	Do	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	.40	.35	.24	.24	(1)	(1)
2312	Do	.40	.28	.22	.18	.18	.18	.40	.30	.25	.23	.21	.21
2313	Do							.40	.38	.23	.22	.22	.22
2315	Do							.50	.42	.25	.22	.22	.22
2301	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)					.27	.30				
2307	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	(1)				
2308	Do	.30	(1)					.30	(1)				
2309	Do	(1)	(1)					.25	(1)				
2312	Do	(1)	(1)					.25	.30				
2313	Do	(1)	(1)					.23	(1)				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
2301	Print	.31	.30	.30	.28	.28	.28	.39	.38	.35	.35	.35	.30
2303	Do							.42	.37	.35	.35	.32	(1)
2304	Do							.35	.35	.36	.38	.35	.32
2305	Tub							.40	.38	.35	.35	.31	.30
2307	Print	.35	.30	.30	.28	.25	.30	.43	.38	.35	.37	.37	.33
2308	Do	.35	.32	.31	(1)	.27	.26	.42	.38	.35	.36	.33	.30
2309	Do	.35	.32	.30	.28	.28	.28	.43	.37	.36	(1)	(1)	(1)
2312	Do							.38	.35	.35	.35	.36	.32
2313	Do							.40	.38	.35	.35	.34	.30
2315	Do	.35	.30	(1)	.27	.26	.24	.35	.35	.37	.37	.35	.30
2301	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.20	.20	.18	.23	.25	.30	.30	.30	.33	.35	.35	.35
2304	Do							.30	.35	.40	.40	.40	.40
2307	Do	.20	.23	.20	.20	.20	.20	.35	.35	.40	.45	.40	.40
2308	Do	.24	.20	.20	.23	.23	.50	.25	.30	.35	.43	.35	.20
2309	Do	.23	.23	.25	.20	.25	.40	.30	.30	.43	(1)	(1)	(1)
2312	Do	.18	.20	.23	.23	.23	.25	.25	.30	.35	.40	.40	.35
2315	Do							.30	.30	.35	.45	.40	.30

2301	Sugar, granulated, in $1 lots, per pound							.0667	.0714	.0714	.0625	.0625	.0625
2304	Do							.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625
2307	Do							.0667	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0625	.0625
2308	Do							.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625
2309	Do							.0714	.0714	.0714	(1)	(1)	(1)
2312	Do							.0714	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0714
2315	Do							.0714	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0625
(2)	Do	.0625	.0500	.0556	.0588	.0588	.0625	(3)					
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
2303	Raw	.07	.07	.06	.06	.06	.06						
	Pasteurized							.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	(1)
2305	Do	.07	.07	.06	.06	.06	.06	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07
2310	Do	.07	.07	.06	.06	.06	.06	.07	.07	.07	.07	(1)	(1)
2311	(4)	.07	.07	.06	.06	.06	.06	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07
2313	Pasteurized	.07	.07	.06	.06	.06	.06	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07

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2409	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22	$0.22	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22	$0.24	$0.25
2410	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.25	.28
2411	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	(1)
2415	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.26	.24
2416	Do							.20	.20	.22	.24	.24	.26
2409	Round steak, top, bone out, per pound	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24	.26
2410	Do	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.25	.28
2411	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	(1)
2415	Do	.22	.22	.20	.20	.22	.22	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24
2416	Do							.20	.20	.22	.22	.25	.26
2409	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
2410	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.20	.22	.24
2411	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	(1)
2415	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
2416	Do							.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
2409	Chuck roast, per pound							.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.18
2410	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.18
2411	Do							.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	(1)
2415	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16
2416	Do							.14	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16

[1] No quotation. [2] Data obtained from Twin City Commercial Bulletin of Minneapolis. [3] Question discontinued. [4] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

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NEWARK, N. J.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2409	Pork chops, loin, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.16	$0.16	$0.16	$0.18	$0.16	$0.16	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20
2410	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22
2411	Do	.24	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	(1)
2415	Do	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.18	.16	.16	.19	.20	.20
2416	Do							.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20
2409	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound							.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20
2410	Do	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
2411	Do	.26	.24	.24	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	(1)
2415	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
2416	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
2409	Whole, 10 to 12 pounds	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.17
2410	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28
2411	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24	.24	.24	.26	.26	(1)
2415	Whole, 9 to 11 pounds	.16	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.16	.16	.16	.17	.18	.18
2416	Whole							.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.18
2403	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.18	.16	.16	.15	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16
2404	Do	.18	.18	.16	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.13
2406	Do	.15	.15	.14	.14	.12	.12	.13	.13	.13	.14	(1)	(1)
2407	Do	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.13	.15	.15	.15
2412	Do	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.14	.16	.16	.15	.15	.16	.16
2415	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2409	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.22	.22	.18	.16	.16	.20	.24	.22
2410	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.25
2411	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.22	.22	(1)
2415	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.22	.20	.18	.16	.17	.18	.22	.22
2416	Do							.16	.16	.18	.18	.24	.22
2409	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.22	.24	.20	.22
2410	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
2411	Do	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)
2415	Do	.17	.18	.19	.20	.20	.20	.19	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2416	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20

	Flour, wheat:												
2403	Cardinal, per ⅛-barrel bag	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95
2404	Hecker's Superlative, per ⅛-barrel bag	1.00	.89	.90	.75	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	1.00	1.00
2406	Gold Medal, per 1/16-barrel bag							.48	.48	.48	.48	.50	.50
2407	Hecker's Superlative, per ⅛-barrel bag	.95	.85	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95
2412	Gold Medal, per ⅛-barrel bag	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
2403	Corn meal, per pound	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343
2404	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400
2406	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
2407	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
2403	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.45	.40	.32	.28	.30	.32	.55	.50	.35	.31	.32	.35
2406	Do							.40	.48	.32	.25	.30	.30
2407	Do	.45	.35	.25	.25	.25	.28	.50	.47	.30	.30	.27	.30
2412	Do							.55	.50	.28	.25	.25	.25
2413	Do	.45	.40	.35	.30	.30	.30	.50	.55	.30	.30	.30	.30
2403	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)					.35	.40				
2404	Do	.38	(1)					.40	(1)				
2406	Do	.35	(1)					.35	.40				
2407	Do	.32	.32					.28	.38				
2412	Do	.40	.30					.48	(1)				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
2403	Tub	.36	.34	.33	.31	.28	.31	.47	.42	.37	.39	.38	.34
2404	Do	.38	.34	.33	.29	.28	.30	.46	.41	.37	.40	.40	.35
2406	Do	.37	.35	.33	.32	.28	.29	.45	.44	.38	.38	.40	.34
2407	Do	.35	.35	.33	.29	.29	.30	.47	.39	.36	.39	.38	.35
2412	Print	.38	.37	.35	.31	.31	.32	.50	.43	.39	.42	.42	.37
2413	Do	.33	.32	.30	.28	.29	.30	.46	.45	.40	.40	.42	.36
2403	Sugar, granulated, in 3½ or 7 pound lots, per pound	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0571	.0657	.0600	.0629	.0600	.0600	.0600
2404	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0686	.0686	.0686	.0629	.0600	.0629
2406	Do							.0600	.0629	.0629	.0571	.0571	.0571
2407	Do	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0657	.0600	.0629	.0600	.0571	.0571
2412	Do	.0600	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0714	.0657	.0657	.0657	.0600	.0600
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
2401	Raw or pasteurized	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2402	Raw	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2413	Pasteurized	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2414	Do	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09

[1] No quotation.

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NEW HAVEN, CONN.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2501	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.22	$0.22	$0.24	$0.24	$0.24	$0.24	$0.24	$0.24	$0.24	$0.24	$0.26	$0.30
2504	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	.24	.24	.26	.28
2511	Do							.25	.25	.25	.26	.28	.30
2512	Do							.28	.28	.26	.26	.28	.28
2513	Do							.24	.24	.26	.26	.26	.26
2501	Round steak, top, bone in, per pound	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.18	.20	.20	.20	.24	.28
2504	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.26
2511	Do							.22	.22	.22	.24	.25	.28
2512	Do							.24	.24	.24	.24	.26	.26
2513	Do							.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.20
2501	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.18	.22	.24
2504	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.18	.20	.22	.23
2511	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.26
2512	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2513	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
2501	Chuck roast, per pound							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.18
2504	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
2511	Do							.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20
2512	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.18
2513	Do							.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18
2501	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20
2504	Do	.18	.17	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.15	.16	.20	.18	.18
2511	Do							.18	.16	.18	.20	.20	.20
2512	Do							.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18
2501	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.24	.24	.26	.26	.26	.26	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25
2504	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.23	.22	.22	.25	.25
2505	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24	.25
2511	Do							.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24
2512	Do							.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
2513	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2501	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.24	.24	.28	.28	.26	.26	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28
2504	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28	.30

2511	Do							.28	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30
2512	Do							.28	.28	.28	.30	.30	.30
2513	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
2501	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.14	.14	.14	.13	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.13	.14	.14
2504	Do	.16	.16	.14	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16
2505	Do	.16	.16	.14	.13	.13	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14
2511	Do							.14	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15
2512	Lard, pure leaf, tub, per pound							.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16
2513	Lard, pure, tub, per pound							.14	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15
2501	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20	.14	.16	.16	.16	.20	.20
2504	Do	.16	.16	.16	.20	.20	.20	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	(1)
2505	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.22
2511	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.20	.18
2512	Do							.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.20
2513	Do							.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20
2501	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.20	.22
2504	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
2511	Do							.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
2512	Do							.24	.24	.24	.25	.25	.25
2513	Do							.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
2501	Pillsbury's Best	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2504	Do	.80	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.90
2505	Gold Medal	.85	.85	.90	.80	.80	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.88	.90
2511	Bridal Veil							.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2512	Do							.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90
2501	Corn meal, per pound	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
2504	Do	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
2505	Do	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0300	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0333	.0333	.0333
2511	Do							.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
2512	Do							.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
2501	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.50	.40	.30	.25	.25	.30	.45	.40	.30	.30	.30	.32
2504	Do	.50	.45	.40	.35	.30	.32	.45	.50	.30	.30	.30	.30
2511	Do							.60	.50	.35	.30	.32	.33
2512	Do							.45	.45	.35	.30	.30	.30
2513	Do							.40	.40	.35	.32	.32	.32
2501	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.35	.30					.33	(2)				
2504	Do	.32	.28					.32	.38				
2511	Do	(2)	(2)					.30	.40				
2512	Do	(2)	(2)					.34	.34				

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NEW HAVEN, CONN.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2501	Butter, creamery, tub, per pound	$0.30	$0.28	$0.25	$0.27	$0.27	$0.28	$0.40	$0.38	$0.37	$0.37	$0.37	$0.33
2504	Do	.35	.33	.32	.30	.27	.27	.38	.40	.36	.38	.38	.33
2505	Do	.35	.38	.28	.28	.27	.26	.40	.38	.35	.37	.38	.32
2511	Do							.40	.40	.38	.38	.40	.35
2512	Do							.40	.40	.36	.38	.38	.34
2513	Do							.40	(1)	.38	.36	.32	.33
2501	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.20	.20	.20	.25	.50	.40	.40	.40	.45	.40	.50
2504	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.40	.40	.50	.50	.35
2505	Do	.23	.23	.20	.23	.23	.30	.40	.40	.42	.50	.50	.50
2511	Do							.40	.40	.40	.50	.50	.40
2512	Do							.35	.40	.44	.48	.45	.40
2513	Potatoes, Irish, per ½ peck							.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.25
2501	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0588	.0566	.0556
2504	Do	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0588
2505	Do							.0714	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625
2511	Do							.0714	.0769	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0625
2512	Do							.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
2502	Raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
2506	Pasteurized	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2508	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
2509	Raw	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08
2510	Do							.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09

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[2] 2605	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.17½	$0.17½	$0.17½	$0.17½	$0.17½	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.17½	$0.17½	$0.17½
2607	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.15	.18	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25
[3] 2608	Do	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.25	.25	.25	.26	.26	.26
[3] 2616	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	(1)	(1)
2622	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20

[2]2605	Round steak, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
2607	Do	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18
[3]2608	Do	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18
[3]2616	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)
2622	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.16	.15
[2]2605	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.12½	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
2607	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22
[3]2608	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.20	.20	.20	.20	.21	.21
[3]2616	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
2622	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
2605	Pork chops, per pound	.18	.16	.18	.19	.19	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20
2607	Do	.19	.19	.19	.19	.19	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.23
2608	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	.22
2615	Do	.20	.17	.17	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20
2616	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)	(1)
2622	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.25
[2]2605	Chuck roast, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.08	.08	.08	.10	.10	.10
2607	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
[3]2608	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.10	.10	.10	.12	.12
2622	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.12½
	Bacon, smoked, per pound:												
2601	Sliced	.37	.36	.35	.34	.31	.30	.30	.30	.29	.31	.31	.30
2606	Piece, 5 to 8 pounds	.27	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.24	.24	.24	.24	(1)	(1)
2611	Sliced	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
2618	Piece, 5 to 7 pounds	.30	.30	.30	.30	.27	.27	.27	.28	.28	.26	.26	.26
2626	Sliced	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)
	Ham, smoked, whole, per pound:												
2601	10 to 12 pounds	.21	.21½	.21	.20	.19½	.19½	.19½	.19	.19	.19½	.19½	.19½
2606	9½ to 14 pounds	.22	.20	.19½	.20	.18½	.19½	.19	.18	.19	.19	(1)	(1)
2611	12 to 14 pounds	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.17½	.17½	.19	.20	.19
2618	6 to 10 pounds	.20	.20	.20	.20	.19	.19	.20	.20	.19	.18	.19	.19
2626	12 to 16 pounds	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.16½	.16½	.16½	.17½	.17½	(1)
	Lard, pure:												
2601	Tub, per pound	.14½	.14½	.14½	.14	.12½	.12	.12½	.13	.13	.14	.15	.15
2606	Per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.80	.85	.80	.85	.85	.75	.70	.70	.70	.70	(1)	(1)
2611	Tub, per pound	.14	.12½	.12½	.12½	.11	.11	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14
2618	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14
2626	Per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	(1)

[1] No quotation. [2] Sells native beef. [3] Sells western or packers' beef.

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Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2608	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.14	$0.14	$0.16	$0.17	$0.17
2613	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.14	.14	.17	.20	.20
2616	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	(2)	(2)
2622	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
	Hens, year or more old, per pound:												
2606	Live	.22	.20	.19	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.19	.17	(2)	(2)
2610	Dressed, not drawn	.25	.25	.20	.25	.20	.20	.22	.20	.25	.20	.20	.20
2614	Do	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.18
2616	Do	.18½	.18½	.18½	.18½	.18½	.18½	.20	.20	.20	.20	(2)	(2)
2622	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel, bag:												
2601	Omega	.95	.95	.95	.95	.90	.90	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
2606	Obelisk	.90	.90	.80	.75	.75	.75	.85	.85	.90	.90	(2)	(2)
2611	Do	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.87	.90	.90	.95
2618	Angel Food	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95
2626	Monogram							.75	.75	.75	.80	.80	(2)
2601	Corn meal, per pound	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0333	.0333	.0300	.0300
2606	Do	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	(2)	(2)
2611	Do	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0333	.0333	.0333
2618	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
2626	Do							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0200	.0275	(2)
2601	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.35	.25	.24	.23	.23	.23	.41	.32	.26	.25	.24	.26
2603	Do	.40	.30	.25	.25	.20	.15	.35	.35	.30	.20	.20	.20
2606	Do	.40	.35	.30	.30	.25	.25	.40	.33	.24	.24	(2)	(2)
2611	Do	.30	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.40	.30	.20	.20	.20	.22
2618	Do	.35	.35	.20	.20	.20	.20	.42	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
2625	Do							(2)	.30	.20	.20	.20	.20
2626	Do							.40	.40	.25	.20	.20	(2)
2603	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.25	.20					.30	.30				
2606	Do	.33	.30					(2)	(2)				
2611	Do	.30	(2)					.30	(2)				
2615	Do	.27	.27					.27	(2)				
2625	Do	.27½	.20					.30	(2)				

	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
2601	Print	.37	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.49	.42	.39	.41	.40	.35
2606	Do	.40	.40	.38	.33	.33	.33	.45	.36	.34	.38	(2)	(2)
2611	Tub	.35	.32½	.30	.27½	.27½	.27½	.48	.40	.37	.39	.37	.31
2618	Print	.38	.38	.35	.35	.30	.30	.44	.42	.39	.41	.41	.35
2626	Tub							.35	.35	.35	.37	.30	(2)
	Potatoes, Irish:												
2601	Per 15 pounds	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.50	.50	.50	.60	.50	.50
2606	Per peck	.30	.30	.35	.30	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40	.50	(2)	(2)
2611	Per 10 pounds	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20	.35	.30	.30	.35	.35	.30
2618	Per 15 pounds	.35	.35	.35	.35	.50	.60	.50	.50	.50	.60	.50	.50
2626	Per 11 pounds							.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	(2)
2601	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0650	.0625
2606	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0675	.0650	.0650	.0625	(2)	(2)
2611	Do	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0526	.0556	.0556	.0714	.0625	.0714	.0625	.0588	.0588
2618	Do	.0575	.0575	.0575	.0575	.0575	.0575	.0700	.0650	.0700	.0625	.0625	.0625
2626	Do							.0667	.0625	.0625	.0625	(2)	(2)
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
2604	Pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
2609	Raw or pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	(2)	(2)
2620	Pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
2621	(3)							.10	.10	.10	.10	(2)	(2)
2623	(3)							.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10

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2703	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.26	$0.30
2704	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	.24	.28
2708	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.22	.22	.25	.25
2712	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.22	.22	.24	.25	.25
2719	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
2723	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25
2725	Do	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	.24	.24	.26	.26
2731	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.23	.24	.25
2734	Do	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
2735	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25
2736	Do							.24	.24	.24	.24	.25	.25
2737	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25
2738	Do							.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	.24
2739	Do							.22	.22	.24	.24	.26	.26

[1] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

[2] No quotation.

[3] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

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Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2703	Round steak, top, bone out, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22	$0.20	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.24	$0.28
2704	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.24	.26
2708	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.22	.24	.25
2712	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.22	.24	.25
2719	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.24
2723	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.24	.24
2725	Do	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.25
2731	Do	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.23	.24
2734	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24
2735	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22
2736	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
2737	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.24
2738	Do							.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
2739	Do							.20	.20	.22	.22	.24	.24
2703	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24
2704	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	.22
2708	Do							.18	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20
2712	Do	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22
2719	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
2723	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.16	.20	.22	.24
2725	Do	.22	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
2731	Do	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22
2734	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
2735	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18
2736	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24
2737	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
2738	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
2739	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.24
2703	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14
2704	Do							.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14	.16
2708	Do							.12	.11	.11	.12½	.12½	.14
2712	Do							.14	.14	.12½	.14	.16	.16
2719	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14
2723	Do							.16	.16	.16	.13	.18	.18
2725	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18
2731	Do							.12	.12	.12	.14	.14	.15

2734	Do							.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.16
2735	Do							.12	.12	.14	.14	.14	.14
2736	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
2738	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14
2739	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.18
2703	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
2704	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.22	.22	.22	.20
2708	Do	.20	.18	.18	.16	.16	.14	.18	.15	.16	.20	.18	.18
2712	Do	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
2719	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20
2723	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
2725	Do	.23	.23	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22	.22
2731	Do	.17	.17	.18	.16	.16	.16	.18	.15	.16	.18	.18	.18
2734	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
2735	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
2736	Do							.16	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
2737	Do							.16	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
2738	Do							.16	.15	.16	.20	.18	.18
2739	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
2703	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
2704	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.22	.24	.22	.25
2708	Do	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2712	Do	.24	.24	.24	.22	.22	.24	.22	.25	22	.22	.25	.25
2719	Do	.22	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2723	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20
2725	Do	.30	.30	.28	.25	.25	.25	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.25
2731	Do	.28	.26	.25	.24	.22	.24	.24	.22	.22	.24	.22	.22
2734	Do	.28	.28	.28	.24	.24	.24	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25
2735	Do							.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20
2736	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2737	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25
2738	Do							.22	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20
2739	Do							.22	.22	.24	.24	.24	.24
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
2703	Sliced	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26
2704	Whole, 10 to 15 pounds	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
2708	Whole, average 10 pounds	.17	.17	.17	.16½	.16½	.16	.15	.15	.14	.15½	.16	.16
2712	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.24	.24	.25	.28	.25	.28	.28	.30	.30
2719	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28
2723	Whole, 8 to 10 pounds	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.20	.18	.18	.18
2725	Whole, 12 to 14 pounds	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.22
2731	Whole, 8 to 12 pounds	.16	.16	.17	.17	.16	.17	.16	.16	.16	.17	.17	.17
2734	Sliced	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28
2735	Whole, 12 pounds	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.16	.15	.16	.15	.15	.15	.16
2736	Whole							.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
2737	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.17
2738	Do	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	.15	.15	.14½	.15½	.16	.16
2739	Sliced	.28	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28

[1] No quotation.

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Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Lard, pure:												
2702	Leaf, per 3-pound pail, gross weight	$0.48	$0.48	$0.45	$0.39	$0.39	$0.36						
	Tub, per pound							$0.14	$0.14	$0.14	$0.14	$0.14	$0.14
2705	Do	.16	.16	.17	.15	.14	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.14
2709	Do	.17	.17	.15	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.15	.15	.15
2710	Do							.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.15
2711	Do	.17	.16	.16	.15	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2717	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12	.13	.13	.15	.13	.13	.13	.13
2720	Do	.17	.17	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2723	Do							.14	.14	.16	.14	.14	.14
2726	Do	.16	.16	.16	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
2728	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2729	Do	.15	.15	.15	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.15
2730	Do	.18	.15	.15	.14	.13	.12	.14	(1)	.15	.16	.16	.16
2732	Do	.19	.17	.15	.13	.13	.12	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
2736	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16
2738	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2703	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.15	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.22
2704	Do	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16
2708	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20
2712	Do	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.16	.16	.14	.16	.18	.22
2719	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.16	.16
2723	Do	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16
2725	Do	.20	.18	.16	.18	.20	.18	.20	.18	.20	.22	.25	.25
2731	Do	.15	.16	.16	.17	.15	.16	.18	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20
2734	Do	.16	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.24	.24
2736	Do							.16	.16	.18	.20	.18	.18
2737	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.16
2738	Do							.14½	.14½	.15½	.18	.16½	.18
2739	Do							.16	.18	.18	.20	.18	.18
2703	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
2704	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.20
2705	Do	.19	.19	.20	.20	.19	.20	.17	.20	.20	.19	.20	.20
2708	Do	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
2712	Do	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	(1)

2719	Do	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18
2724	Do	.18	.18	.19	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
2725	Do	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
2731	Do	.20	.20	.18	.20	.18	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2734	Do	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2735	Do							.16	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16
2736	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2737	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
2738	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
2739	Do							.16	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
2701	Pillsbury's Best	.98	.91	.89	.89	.89	.88	.93	.94	.94	.93	.96	.95
2702	Hecker's Superlative	.90	.90	.90	.85	.85	.80	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
2705	Pillsbury's Best	.85	.85	.88	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.95	.90
2709	Gold Medal	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.83	.85	.85
2711	Pillsbury's Best							.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	.90
2717	Gold Medal	.79	.79	.79	.79	.80	.75	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.85
2720	Do	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
2726	Hecker's	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
2728	Gold Medal	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.85	.90	.95	.90
2729	Pillsbury's Best	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90
2730	Gold Medal	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.85	.90	.85	.85	.95	.90
2732	Hecker's	.92	.90	.90	.90	.85	.82	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
2701	Corn meal, per pound							.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400
2702	Do	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343
2705	Do	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343	.0343
2709	Do	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286
2711	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0286	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0400
2717	Do	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286	.0286
2720	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
2729	Do	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
2730	Do	.0429	.0429	.0429	.0429	.0429	.0371	.0371	.0357	.0371	.0371	.0371	(1)
2732	Do							.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
2701	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.39	.25	.24	.20	.22	.25	.45	.45	.25	.26	.26	.26
2702	Do	.35	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.50	.30	.30	.35	.35
2705	Do							.55	.58	.34	.35	.35	.35
2707	Do	.47	.35	.32	.32	.32	.32	.53	.51	.37	.33	.33	.34
2709	Do	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	.28	.45	.45	.25	.25	.25	.30
2710	Do	.37	.29	.22	.21	.19	.25	(1)	.45	.25	.25	.25	.25
2711	Do	.40	.30	.30	.33	.28	.30	.40	.42	.25	.28	.28	.28
2714	Do	.35	.27	.24	.23	.28	.30	.48	.48	.33	.30	.30	.30
2715	Do	.48	.40	.35	.35	.30	.32	.50	.50	.35	.33	.33	.33
2718	Do	.39	.33	.29	.29	.29	.31	.45	.49	.39	.31	.31	.31
2720	Do							.45	.45	.26	.25	.28	.30
2726	Do	.39	.27	.27	.32	.23	.28	.48	.50	.30	.30	.30	.30

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NEW YORK, N. Y.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2728	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	$0.37	$0.30	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.47	$0.45	$0.35	$0.30	$0.35	$0.30
2729	Do							.45	.35	.35	.30	.30	.33
2730	Do	.50	(1)	.28	.26	.25	.30	.50	.50	.30	.30	.30	.30
2702	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.33	(1)					.32	.40				
2705	Do	(1)	(1)					.40	.40				
2708	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	.40				
2710	Do	.30	.25					.35	.37				
2720	Do	(1)	(1)					.32	(1)				
2726	Do	.30	.30					.35	(1)				
2728	Do	.25	.25					.35	.45				
2729	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	(1)				
2730	Do	.38	.30					.37	.40				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
2701	Tub	.35	.36	.34	.27	.27	.29	.48	.45	.35	.38	.37	.37
2702	Do	.33	.33	.31	.27	.27	.29	.43	.37	.35	.37	.35	.31
2707	Do	.36	.36	.36	.30	.30	.30	.47	.44	.37	.40	.39	.35
2709	Do	.37	.33	.31	.27	.27	.29	.43	.39	.35	.39	.39	.33
2710	Do	.32	.32	.29	.27	.27	.29	.45	.39	.35	.37	.39	.33
2711	Do	.37	.35	.33	.29	.28	.29	.46	.36	.37	.39	.35	.34
2714	Print	.33	.33	.30	.27	.28	.30	.44	.40	.38	.38	.38	.38
2715	Tub	.38	.35	.33	.30	.28	.28	.45	.37	.35	.36	.38	.33
2718	Do	.37	.37	.33	.31	.31	.31	.45	.41	.37	.41	.41	.39
2726	Do	.34	.34	.32	.29	.28	.29	.44	.35	.35	.38	.40	.33
2728	Do	.33	.31	.31	.29	.27	.29	.47	.41	.35	.41	.39	.35
2729	Tub or print							.43	.35	.35	.35	.33	.31
2730	Tub	.33	.33	.27	.29	.29	.30	.47	.37	.37	.39	.38	.34
2732	Do							.48	.41	.37	.37	.37	.35
2733	Do							.45	.35	.35	.37	.33	.33
2701	Sugar, granulated, in 3½, 5, or 7 pound lots	.0571	.0543	.0543	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0629	.0657	.0657	.0600	.0600	.0629
2702	Do	.0514	.0543	.0514	.0486	.0514	.0543	.0600	.0571	.0571	.0543	.0514	.0514
2705	Do	.0571	.0571	.0543	.0543	.0514	.0514	.0600	.0571	.0571	.0543	.0571	.0543
2709	Do	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0571	.0571	.0600	.0571	.0571	.0543
2710	Do	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0600	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0543	.0543
2711	Do	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0629	.0629	.0629	.0571	.0571	.0571
2717	Do	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0600	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543

2720	Do	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0514	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0543	.0543
2726	Do	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0543	.0500	.0600	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0571
2728	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0571	.0543	.0543
2729	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0600	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0543	.0543
2730	Do	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0571	.0600	.0600	.0571	.0600	.0571	.0571	.0571
2732	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0629	.0600	.0600	.0571	.0600	.0543
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
2706	Raw or pasteurized [2]	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2707	Do	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2713	Raw	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2714	([3])	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2715	([3])	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2716	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
2718	Raw or pasteurized	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2727	Pasteurized	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
2733	([3])	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09

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2806	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25
2807	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.22½
2809	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.15	.16	.17½	.20	.20
2810	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20	.23	([1])	([1])
2814	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.18	.18	.20	.23	.25	.25
2815	Do	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.15	.18	.20	.22½	.22½
2816	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.15	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20
2806	Round steak, per pound	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.16	.15	.16	.18	.20	.20
2807	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.20	.20
2809	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.15	.16	.17	.22	.22
2810	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17½	.20	([1])	([1])
2814	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.20
2815	Do	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.22½
2816	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.15	.15	.17½	.20	.20	.20
2806	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.15	.14	.15	.18	.18	.18
2807	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½
2809	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12	.12	.13½	.13½	.15	.16
2810	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.20	([1])	([1])
2814	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.17½	.17½	.17½
2815	Do	.15	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.15	.15	.15	.20	.18	.18
2816	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.17½

[1] No quotation. [2] A small portion of milk pasteurized, beginning January, 1912. [3] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

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Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2806	Chuck roast, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$0.12½	$0.12½	$0.12½	$0.14	$0.15	$0.15
2807	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12	.12	.12	.12½	.12½	.15
2809	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.10	.11	.11	.12½	.13
2810	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½	(1)	(1)
2814	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.10	.08	.12½	.12½	.15
2815	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.17	.18
2816	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.10	.10	.15	.15	.15
2806	Pork chops, loin, per pound	$0.14	$0.16	$0.14	$0.14	$0.15	$0.15	.16	.12½	.15	.18	.18	.17
2807	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
2809	Do	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13½	.13½	.16	.14
2810	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.16	.16	.16	(1)	(1)
2814	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.12½	.17½	.17½	.18	.17½
2815	Do	.12½	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.12	.12½	.18	.20	.18
2816	Do	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.17½	.15	.17½
2806	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.28	.30	.25
2807	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.20	.22½	.25
2809	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.21	.21	.24	.25
2810	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)	(1)
2815	Do	.22½	.22½	.22½	.20	.20	.22½	.22	.25	.20	.22½	.22½	.22½
2816	Do	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.20	(1)	(1)	.20	.22	.23
2806	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.30	.30
2807	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
2809	Do	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.23	.23	.23	.23	.25	.28
2810	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)	(1)
2814	Do	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.28
2816	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
2806	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.12½	.12½	.10	.10	.10	.10	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17
2807	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½
2809	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13½	.15	.15
2810	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13½	.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)
2814	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.18	.15
2815	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.13	.12½	.15	.15	.15
2816	Do	.17½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15

2806	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.14	.14	.14	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.18	.18
2807	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.20
2809	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.13	.12½	.15
2810	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	(1)	(1)
2814	Do	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)	.20
2815	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.10	.15	.20	.20
2816	Do	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.12	.15
2806	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14	.15	.14	.16	.17	.17	.14
2807	Do	.12	.12	.12	.13	.13	.13	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.15	.15
2809	Do	.14	.15	.16½	.17½	.15½	.13½	.12½	.14	.13½	.14	.14	.13½
2810	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.16	.17	.17	(1)	(1)
2815	Do	.11	.15	.15	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.17½
2816	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15½	.15	.17½	.15	.15
	Flour, wheat:												
2805	Updike, per ¼-barrel bag	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.65	(1)
2806	Pride of Omaha, per ⅛-barrel bag	.80	.75	.75	.70	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.80	.80
2807	Sunshine, per ⅛-barrel bag	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.80
2809	Private, per ⅛-barrel bag	.75	.75	.75	.70	.70	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75	.80	.80
2814	Special brand, per ¼-barrel bag	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55
2816	Blue Bell, per ⅛-barrel bag	.75	.75	.75	.65	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	(1)
2805	Corn meal, in 8 or 10 pound lots, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2806	Do	.0225	.0188	.0188	.0188	.0188	.0188	.0225	.0225	.0225	.0225	.0225	.0225
2807	Do	.0188	.0188	.0188	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2809	Do	.0225	.0225	.0188	.0188	.0188	.0188	.0225	.0225	.0225	.0225	.0250	.0250
2814	Do	.0180	.0180	.0180	.0180	.0180	.0180	.0180	.0180	.0180	.0180	.0200	.0200
2816	Do	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2805	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.36	.32	.28	.24	.22	.20	.40	.30	.24	.22	.22	.22
2806	Do	.32	.32	.20	.18	.18	.18	.40	.30	.22	.22	.20	.20
2807	Do	.30	.30	.25	.25	.20	.20	.38	.33	.22½	.22½	.23	.20
2809	Do	.35	.20	.18	.15	.18	.20	.35	.35	.25	.23	.25	.22
2814	Do	.25	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.33	.35	.25	.22	.22	.22
2816	Do	.35	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.40	.40	.25	.25	.23	.23
2806	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
2807	Do	.20	.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.28	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
2816	Do	.25	.17½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	.35	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
2805	Print	.35	.32	.28	.28	.30	.30	.45	.35	.35	.38	.35	.32
2806	Do	.32	.32	.32	.30	.30	.30	.40	.37	.35	.37	.35	.30
2807	Tub	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.38	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30
2809	Do	.35	.30	.28	.28	.28	.28	.38	.35	.35	.38	.33	.30
2814	Print	.32	.30	.30	.28	.28	.25	.42	.38	.35	.38	.36	.33
2816	Do	.35	.30	.30	.27	.27	.28	.45	.40	.35	.40	.35	.33

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		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2805	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	$0.30	$0.30	$0.30	$0.30	$0.30	$0.50	$0.35	$0.40	$0.45	(1)	(1)	$0.45
2806	Do	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.45	.35	.35	.40	$0.45	$0.40	.45
2807	Do	.30	.30	.30	.25	.30	.40	.30	.35	.40	.45	.40	.45
2809	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.70	.30	.35	.45	.50	.45	.35
2814	Do	.30	.30	.30	.35	.45	.55	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.50
2816	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.40	.40	.45	.45	.40	.55
2805	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0625	.0625	.0625
2806	Do	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0667	(1)
2807	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0700	.0700	.0750	.0700	.0700	.0625
2809	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0625	.0625	.0650	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0650	.0650
2814	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0690	.0690	.0667
2816	Do	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0833	.0714
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
2801	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
2802	Raw	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.07 1/7
2803	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.07
2804	Do	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.07 1/7	.07 1/7	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.07 1/7
2811	Do	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/3	.08 1/7

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2902	Sirloin steak (porterhouse),[2] per pound	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.28	$0.28	$0.28	$0.28	$0.30	$0.30	$0.33	$0.33
2903	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
2905	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28
2911	Do	.28	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.30	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30
2912	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28	.30
2916	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
2917	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28
2921	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28	.25	.28	.32	.32
2922	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.25	.23	.20	.20	.25	.28	.32
2925	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.25	.28	.28	.28	.28	.32	.32

2902	Round steak, top, bone out, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.22	.24	.24	.27	.24
2903	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.25
2905	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
2911	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.22	.22	.22	.24	.25	.25
2912	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.25
2916	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.20	.20	.24	.24
2917	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24	.25
2921	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.28
2922	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.22	.25
2925	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.28	.25
2927	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.25
2903	Rib roast, bone in, per pound							.16	.16	.16	.16	.20	.20
2905	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
2911	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.23	.23
2912	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	.22
2916	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
2917	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22
2921	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.22	.22
2922	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.20	.22
2925	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25
2902	Chuck roast, per pound							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
2903	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.14
2905	Do							.12	.12	.12	.12	.15	.16
2911	Do							.14	.14	.14	.16	.18	.18
2912	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17
2916	Do							.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.16
2917	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16
2921	Do							.15	.15	.14	.14	.17	.18
2922	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16
2925	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.20	.20
2927	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16
2903	Pork chops, loin, per pound							.18	.16	.16	.19	.20	.20
2905	Do	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
2912	Do	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.22	.24	.25
2916	Do	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.18	.14	.14	.20	.20	.20
2917	Do	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.16
2921	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.17	.19	.18	.18	.21	.22	.22
2922	Do	.25	.22	.18	.16	.16	.16	.18	.15	.16	.18	.20	.18
2925	Do	.16	.15	.15	.14	.14	.14	.20	.18	.18	.22	.22	.22
2927	Do	.16	.17	.16	.16	.17	.17	.19	.15	.17	.19	.20	.20
2905	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25
2911	Do	.28	.28	.28	.23	.25	.23	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
2912	Do	.25	.24	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.25
2914	Do	.25	.25	.23	.23	.23	.23	.25	.22	.22	.23	.23	.25
2915	Do	.25	.24	.23	.20	.20	.22	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23
2916	Do	.25	.25	.25	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22

[1] No quotation.
[2] The steak for which prices are here quoted is known as "porterhouse" in most of the cities included in this report, but in this city it is called "sirloin."

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2917	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20
2921	Do	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2922	Do	.32	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.25	.26
2925	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
2926	Do					.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24
2927	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
2905	Sliced	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
2912	Do	.28	.28	.28	.25	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30	.32	.32	.32
2913	Whole, 9 to 12 pounds	.18	.18	.17	.17	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
2915	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.23	.23	.25	.25	.25
2916	Do	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
2917	Do	.25	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
2921	Do	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.25	.28	.26	.25	.25	.28	.28
2922	Do	.32	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28	.30	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28
2925	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30	.32	.32
2926	Whole					.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.19	.19
2927	Sliced	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.25	.23	.22	.22	.25	.28	.28
2903	Lard, pure, tub, per pound							.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
2904	Do					.15	.15	.14	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
2906	Do	.16	.16	.14	.12	.12	.12	.14	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14
2913	Do	.16	.16	.14	.14	.12	.12	.14	.14	.13	.14	.15	.15
2914	Do	.16	.15	.13	.13	.12	.12	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14
2915	Do	.18	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13
2916	Do					.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14
2917	Do	.12	.12	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.10½	.12	.12	.12
2920	Do					.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14
2922	Do	.16	.16	.15	.11	.15	.15	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14
2925	Do	.16	.15	.13	.11	.11	.11	.13	.13	.13	.13	.15	.15
2926	Do					.12	.12	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14
2927	Do	.14	.14	.12	.12	.12	.12	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14
2903	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound							.16	.16	.16	.16	.20	.18
2905	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
2914	Do	.12	.14	.14	.14	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.22	

2916	Do	.18	.18	.16	.16	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20
2917	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.14	.14	.16	.18	.18	.16
2921	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.16	(2)
2922	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.20	.22	.16
2925	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.18	.16	.16	.16	.18	.22	.20
2903	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound							.18	.19	.22	.20	.22	.22
2904	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20
2907	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
2911	Do	.22	.22	.24	.24	.23	.23	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.23
2916	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2917	Do	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
2922	Do							.18	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
2925	Do	.16	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
2926	Do					.24	.24	.22	.23	.24	.24	.24	.24
2927	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20	.19	.19	.20	.20	.20	.20
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
2902	Gold Medal					.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2903	Millbourne					.90	.85	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
2906	Gold Medal	.85	.85	.85	.80	.80	.84	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2913	Do	.90	.90	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2914	Do	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.80	.90	.90	.90	.85	.90	.90
2915	Bridal Veil	.90	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.85
2917	Pillsbury's Best	.85	.85	.85	.80	.80	.80	.86	.85	.86	.86	.85	.90
2920	Gold Medal	.86	.86	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2926	Do	.85	.83	.83	.80	.80	.82	.86	.86	.86	.86	.90	.90
2927	Do	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
2902	Corn meal, per pound	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
2903	Do					.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
2906	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2914	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2917	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2920	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2926	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2927	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
2902	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen					.23	.23	.43	.45	.30	.26	.26	.27
2903	Do							.42	.40	.26	.26	.25	.25
2904	Do	.35	.25	.23	.22	.22	.22	.45	.42	.28	.25	.25	.26
2907	Do	.40	.30	.25	.23	.23	.23	.46	.40	.26	.26	.26	.28
2908	Do	.45	.28	.20	.24	.24	.24	.42	.44	.29	.28	.28	.29
2911	Do					.23	.26	.45	.45	.28	.28	.28	.30
2913	Do	.45	.42	.24	.24	.24	.24	.43	.45	.28	.26	.26	.26
2914	Do	.42	.25	.22	.22	.23	.23	.38	.40	.27	.25	.25	.26
2915	Do	.30	.28	.25	.21	.22	.22	.48	.42	.28	.28	.26	.27
2916	Do					.22	.22	.40	.38	.23	.25	.24	.24

[1] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

[2] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
2917	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	$0.38	$0.28	$0.24	$0.20	$0.22	$0.22	$0.42	$0.42	$0.26	$0.25	$0.26	$0.27
2920	Do	.40	.40	.22	.20	.22	.24	.45	.45	.25	.26	.26	.26
2925	Do	.32	.30	.25	.19	.21	.23	.45	.40	.27	.25	.25	.25
2926	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.21	.22	.40	.42	.25	.25	.25	.25
2927	Do	.30	.25	.22	.22	.23	.24	.44	.42	.26	.26	.25	.27
2903	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.32	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
2911	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.32	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
2912	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.34	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
2916	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.28	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
2917	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	.36	.....	.....	.....	.....
2920	Do	.30	.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.32	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
2922	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.27	.36	.....	.....	.....	.....
2927	Do	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.28	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
2902	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.52	.50	.45	.46	.46	.40
2903	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.47	.50	.45	.47	.48	.40
2904	Do	.40	.40	.40	.32	.32	.32	.50	.45	.40	.42	.45	.40
2908	Do	.42	.34	.39	.32	.32	.35	.52	.47	.42	.45	.46	.40
2913	Do	.38	.38	.35	.33	.33	.34	.50	.45	.40	.44	.42	.38
2914	Do	.40	.37	.35	.30	.32	.33	.48	.40	.38	.38	.40	.36
2915	Do	.42	.40	.38	.38	.39	.40	.58	.48	.48	.50	.50	.45
2917	Do	.45	.44	.40	.34	.34	.34	.52	.45	.42	.44	.44	.40
2919	Do	.40	.40	.36	.32	.32	.32	.42	.40	.40	.40	.40	.36
2920	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.33	.35	.50	.45	.40	.44	.43	.38
2925	Do	.39	.38	.32	.29	.29	.31	.48	.45	.39	.41	.41	.37
2927	Do	.38	.35	.35	.35	.34	.36	.50	.46	.42	.44	.44	.48
2902	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.50	.50	.50	.55	.70	.50
2903	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.45	.45	.50	.48	.60	.55
2912	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.60	.60	.60	.60	.40	.45
2914	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.45	.50	.50	.60	.60	.50
2915	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.40	.40	.40	.50	.50	.40
2917	Do	.28	.28	.28	.28	.60	.60	.40	.44	.40	.40	.40	.48
2920	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.40	.40	.40	.60	.55	.50
2926	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.50	.60	.60	.60	.60	.50
2927	Do	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.48	.44	.44	.44	.48	.40	.48

2902	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0550	.0550
2903	Do					.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600
2906	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550	.0550	.0550
2911	Do					.0500	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0550
2914	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0600	.0650	.0600	.0500	.0600
2915	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550
2917	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550	.0550	.0550
2920	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550	.0550	.0550
2927	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, per quart:												
2901	Bottled, pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
2908	Bottled or from can, pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
2919	Bottled, pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
2923	Do	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
2924	Bottled, raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
2928	Bottled, pasteurized							.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08

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3003	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.23	$0.23	$0.23	$0.25	$0.25	$0.28
3013	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.30
3016	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.23	.22	.23	.25	.27	.28
3017	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25
3003	Round steak, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.23
3013	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.25
3016	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.16	.18	.20	.20	.23
3017	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22
3003	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
3013	Do	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22
3016	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.22	.23	.25	.25
3017	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
3003	Chuck roast, per pound							.15	.12½	.15	.15	.16	.18
3013	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18
3016	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.15	.15
3017	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.16	.16
3003	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.23	.23	.23
3013	Do	.16	.16	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18	.16	.18	.20	.20	.20
3016	Do	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.15	.15	.17	.18	.20	.18
3017	Do							.18	.15	.18	.20	.20	.20
3018	Do							.15	.15	.18	.18	.20	.20

[1] No quotation.

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PITTSBURGH, PA.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3003	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.23	$0.23	$0.23	$0.23	$0.23	$0.25	$0.25
3007	Do	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.25	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23
3013	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.25	.25
3014	Do	.27	.27	.27	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.23
3016	Do							.28	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30
3003	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3007	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.23	.23	.23	.23	.25	.25
3013	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28	.30
3016	Do	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.32	.32	.32	.32	.32	.32
3007	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.13	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3008	Do							.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.15
3009	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	(1)		
3010	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14
3013	Do							.13	.13	.12	.14	.15	.15
3014	Do	.18	.17	.15	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
3015	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13
3019	Do									.15	.16	.16	.16
3003	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.23	.23
3013	Do	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
3016	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.16	.15	.18	.20	.20	.18
3018	Do							.15	.18	.18	.20	.23½	.23
3006	Hens, year or more old, dressed, drawn, per pound	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.25	.25	.26	.25	.25	.23
3013	Do	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.24	.22	.22	.23	.24	.23	(3)
3015	Do							.20	.20	.22	.22	.23	.23
3016	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	(3)	.25	.25	.25	.25	.24	.23
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
3007	New Century	.85	.85	.85	.75	.75	.75	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
3008	Minnehaha or Pillsbury's Best							.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
3010	Minnehaha	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.83	.83	.83	.83	.85	.85
3014	Vienna	.88	.88	.78	.78	.78	.78	.83	.83	.83	.83	.85	.85
3015	Pillsbury's Best	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85
3017	Minnehaha	.85	.85	.85	.80	80	.80	.83	.85	.90	.90	.90	.90

3007	Corn meal, in 3 or 10 pound lots, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3008	Do							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
3009	Do							.0280	.0280	.0280	(1)		
3010	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
3014	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3017	Do	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
3019	Do									.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3007	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.45	.28	.25	.20	.20	.20	(3)	.40	.25	.25	.25	.25
3008	Do							.40	.45	.25	.25	.23	.23
3009	Do							.45	.45	.25	(1)		
3010	Do	(3)	.25	.25	.20	.20	.18	(3)	.38	.23	.23	.23	.23
3014	Do	.36	.30	.23	.22	.22	.22	(3)	.45	.25	.25	.24	.24
3015	Do	.35	.32	.28	.20	.20	.22	.40	.40	.25	.23	.23	.23
3017	Do	.38	.36	.32	.30	.28	.25	.42	.40	.22	.24	.23	.24
3019	Do									.25	.25	.24	.24
3007	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(3)	(3)					.45	(3)				
3008	Do	(3)	(3)					.28	(3)				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
3007	Print	.40	.32	.33	.28	.28	.30	.45	.40	.35	.35	.32	.33
3008	Do							.45	.42	.38	.38	.38	.35
3009	Do	.38	.38	.35	.32	.32	.30	.45	.47	.38	(1)		
3010	Do	.38	.38	.35	.35	.35	.35	.43	.40	.35	.37	.35	.33
3014	Do	.38	.30	.34	.30	.30	.30	.45	.40	.38	.40	.38	.33
3015	Tub	.35	.32	.31	.31	.25	.27	.43	.40	.37	.38	.37	.33
3017	Print	.40	.38	.38	.36	.35	.32	.45	.40	.38	.40	.38	.32
3019	Do									.38	.40	.38	.34
3007	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.30	.25	.25	.20	.20	.50	.40	.40	.40	.50	.50	.30
3008	Do							.35	.40	.40	.45	.45	.45
3009	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40	(1)		
3010	Do	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.35	.35	.40	.40	.45
3014	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.45	.40	.40	.40	.50	.45	.50
3017	Do	.25	.25	.20	.20	.25	.25	.35	.40	.40	.50	.40	.45
3019	Do									.40	.45	.45	.50
3007	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0600	.0600
3008	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0700	.0660	.0660	.0660	.0600	.0600	.0580
3009	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0700	.0700	.0700	(1)		
3010	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650
3014	Do	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0750	.0750	.0750	.0750	.0650	.0650
3017	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0700	.0650	.0700	.0650	.0600	.0600
3019	Do									.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714

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PITTSBURGH, PA.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, per quart:												
3001	Bottled or from can, raw	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.07	$0.07	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.07	$0.07
3004	Bottled, raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
3011	Bottled, pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.10	.08	.08	.10	.10	.10	.10	.08	.08
3012	Do	.10	.10	.10	.10	.08	.08	.10	.10	.10	.10	.08	.08

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3105	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20
3107	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
3108	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3113	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
3117	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
3118	Do							.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)
3121	Do							.20	.18	.20	.20	.22	.20
3105	Round steak, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.18
3107	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.17	.17	.17	.18	.18
3108	Do	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3113	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
3117	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.18	.18
3118	Do							.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)
3121	Do							.17	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
3105	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3107	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
3108	Do	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3113	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
3117	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17½	.16	.18	.18
3118	Do							.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)
3121	Do							.18	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18
3105	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13
3107	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3108	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
3113	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.15	.15

3117	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.15	.15
3118	Do							.12½	.12	.12½	(1)	(1)	(1)
3121	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3105	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18
3107	Do	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
3108	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18	.17½	.20	.17½	.20	.20
3113	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20
3117	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.22
3118	Do							.20	.17½	.20	(1)	(1)	(1)
3121	Do							.20	.18	.20	.22	.22	.22
3101	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3105	Do	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3107	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.20	.22	.25
3108	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.25	(1)
3111	Do							.24	.20	.20	.22	.23	.25
3113	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
3117	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.30
3118	Do							.25	(1)	.25	(1)	(1)	(1)
3121	Do							.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
3105	Sliced	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28
3107	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.28	.30	.30	.30
3108	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3113	Whole	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25
3117	Sliced	.30	.30	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.30	.30	.30
3118	Do							.25	(1)	.25	(1)	(1)	(1)
3121	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3105	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15
3106	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3107	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3108	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3111	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16
3113	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.17	.17
3115	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
3119	Do							.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½
3120	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18
3121	Do							.15	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18
3105	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.17	.15	.15	.18	.18	.15
3107	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.18	.18
3108	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3113	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.17½	.17	.17
3117	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.15	.16	.16	.16
3118	Do							.15	.15	.15	(1)	(1)	(1)
3121	Do							.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20

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PORTLAND, OREG.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3105	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	$0.25	$0.25	$0.25	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.22	$0.22	$0.20	$0.20
3106	Do							.22	.20	.20	.23	.20	.20
3107	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	(1)	.22	.25	.20	.18
3108	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.22½	.22½	.20	.18
3111	Do							.20	.18	.20	.21	.20	.18
3113	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.25	.25	.22
3117	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.17
3118	Do							.18	.16½	.18	(1)	(1)	(1)
	Flour, wheat:												
3101	Brilliant, per ¼-barrel bag	1.55	1.55	1.45	1.45	1.50	1.50	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.45	1.55	1.55
3106	Olympic, per ¼-barrel bag	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.45	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.35	1.45	1.55	1.55
3111	Regular, per ½-barrel bag	3.70	3.70	3.70	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50
3115	Vim, per ¼-barrel bag	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.45	1.50	1.50	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.45	1.55	1.55
3119	Do							1.35	1.40	1.35	1.55	1.55	1.55
3120	Do							1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.55	1.55
3122	Pure White, per ¼-barrel bag							1.35	1.35	1.35	1.55	1.55	1.55
3101	Corn meal, in 9 or 10 pound lots, per pound	.0350	.0350	.0300	.0300	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0300
3106	Do	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350
3111	Do	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.3500	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350
3115	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0350
3119	Do							.0389	.0389	.0389	.0389	.0389	.0389
3120	Do							.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0389	.0389
3122	Do							.0333	.0333	.0333	.0278	.0333	.0333
	Eggs, strictly fresh, per dozen:												
3101	Ranch	.50	.45	.40	.35	.25	.25	.40	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25
3105	Ranch, select							.45	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25
3106	Ranch	.40	.40	.25	.25	.25	.25	.45	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25
3111	Select	.55	.55	.22½	.22½	.25	.25	.45	.35	.25	.25	.25	.22½
3115	Near-by	.45	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25	.45	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
3119	Do							.60	.40	.30	.25	.25	.25
3120	Do							.50	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25
3122	Do							.40	.22½	.25	.25	.25	.25

3101	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.35	.35					.30	(1)				
3105	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	(1)				
3106	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	(1)				
3111	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	.30				
3119	Do	(1)	(1)					.40	(1)				
3120	Do	(1)	(1)					.40	.25				
3122	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	.17				
	Butter, creamery, print:												
3101	Per 2 pounds	.90	.80	.70	.60	.60	.60	.85	.80	.80	.80	.65	.65
3106	Do	.90	.80	.80	.80	.70	.70	.90	.85	.90	.85	.70	.70
3111	Do	.80	.75	.75	.70	.60	.60	.85	.80	.80	.80	.60	.65
3115	Do	.90	.70	.70	.65	.65	.60	.90	.85	.80	.80	.65	.65
3119	Do							.90	.85	.85	.70	.65	.65
3120	Per 1 pound									.40	.35	.33	.35
	Per 2 pounds							.90	.85				
3122	Do							.85	.80	.75	.60	.60	.65
3101	Potatoes, Irish, per 100 pounds	1.65	1.50	1.40	1.25	1.25	1.50	1.50	1.50	2.00	2.25	1.50	1.25
3106	Do	2.00	2.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	1.50	1.50	1.90	2.00	1.90	1.25
3111	Do	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.85	2.50	2.50	1.50	1.50	1.75	2.30	1.75	1.50
3115	Do	1.50	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.75	2.75	1.40	1.45	1.75	2.25	1.75	1.50
3119	Do							1.50	1.75	2.00	2.00	1.75	1.75
3120	Do							1.60	1.60	2.25	2.40	1.75	1.65
3122	Do							1.50	1.50	1.75	1.75	1.50	1.35
3101	Sugar, granulated, in $1 lots, per pound	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667
3106	Do	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0714	.0667	.0667
3111	Do	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0625	.0625	.0625
3115	Do	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667
3119	Do							.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667
3120	Do							.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714
3122	Do							.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0588	.0588
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled per quart:												
3102	Raw	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09
3103	Pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
3110	Do	.09¼	.09⅙	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
3112	Do	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.09	(1)
3116	Raw or pasteurized	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙	.09⅙

[1] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3203	Sirloin steak (porterhouse),[1] per pound	$0.33	$0.33	$0.33	$0.33	$0.33	$0.33	$0.37	$0.37	$0.37	$0.37	$0.39	$0.40
3209	Do	.32	.32	.32	.32	.32	.32	.34	.34	.34	.34	.40	.38
3210	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.32	.30	.32	.34	.38	(2)
3211	Do	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.40
3212	Do							.35	.38	.38	.38	.40	.40
3213	Do							.35	.35	.38	.38	.38	.40
3214	Do							.30	.30	.30	.40	.38	(2)
	Round steak, per pound:												
3203	Top, bone out	.22	.23	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.27	.28
3209	Whole, bone out	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.25
3210	Top, bone out	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	(2)
3211	Do	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.30
3212	Do							.28	.30	.30	.30	.33	.33
3213	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.30
3214	Do							.22	.22	.22	.30	.28	(2)
3203	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.29
3209	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.20	.22	.22	.22	.25
3210	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	(2)
3211	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	.28
3212	Do							.18	.20	.20	.22	.25	.25
3213	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22
3214	Do							.18	.18	.18	.22	.22	(2)
3203	Chuck roast, per pound							.17	.17	.16	.16	.16	.18
3209	Do							.13	.12	.13	.13	.15	.15
3210	Do							.14	.13	.14	.16	.16	(2)
3211	Do							.12	.14	.14	.14	.18	.18
3212	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
3213	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16
3214	Do							.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	(2)
3203	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.16	.18	.17	.17	.18	.18	.19	.16	.17	.20	.20	.20
3209	Do	.17	.17	.17	.16	.16	.15	.16	.15	.14	.16	.18	.16
3210	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20	(2)
3211	Do	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.20	.17	.18	.20	.20	.20
3212	Do							.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20

3213	Do							.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3214	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	(2)
3203	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3209	Do	.20	.20	.19	.19	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3210	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(2)
3211	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25
3212	Do							.22	.20	.18	.20	.20	.20
3213	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3214	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(2)
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
3203	Whole, 10 to 16 pounds							.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.18
3209	Whole, 12 to 15 pounds	.17	.16	.15	.15	.14	.16	.14	.14	.14	.15	.16	.16
3210	Whole, 12 to 18 pounds	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	(2)
3211	Sliced	.30	.30	.30	.33	.33	.32	.30	.30	.30	.30	.32	.30
3212	Do							.30	.25	.25	.28	.28	.28
3213	Whole, 9 to 14 pounds							.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.18
3214	Sliced							.25	.25	.25	.25	.28	(2)
3201	Lard, pure, tub, per pound							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3203	Do	.15	.15	.15	.13	.13	.12	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14
3209	Do	.14	.13	.12	.11	.11	.11	.12	.12	.12	.14	.14	.14
3210	Do	.15	.15	.15	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.13	.15	(2)
3211	Do	.20	.20	.18	.18	.16	.15	.12	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3212	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
3213	Do							.12	.12	.12	.14	.14	.14
3214	Do							.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	(2)
3203	Leg of lamb, yearling,[3] per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.16	.18	.18	.18	.20
3209	Do	.17	.18	.18	.20	.18	.20	.18	.18	.16	.18	.20	.22
3210	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.18	.18	.18	(2)
3211	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.25
3213	Do							.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22
3214	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	(2)
	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound												
3209		.19	.20	.20	.20	.18	.17	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20
3210	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.26	.25	.23	.23	.23	(2)
3211	Do	.23	.25	.25	.23	.25	.25	.22	.23	.23	.23	.25	.25
3212	Do							.23	.22	.22	.23	.23	.23
3213	Do							.18	.18	.20	.22	.22	.22
3214	Do							.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	(2)

[1] The steak for which prices are here quoted is known as "porterhouse" in most of the cities included in this report, but in this city it is called "sirloin."
[2] No quotation.
[3] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact hat, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
3201	King Arthur	$1.00	$1.00	$1.00	$1.00	$1.00	$1.00	$1.00	$1.00	$1.00	$1.00	$1.05	$1.05
3209	Special brand	.82	.82	.80	.80	.80	.80	.83	.83	.83	.83	.89	.86
3211	King Arthur	1.00	1.05	1.05	1.00	.95	.95	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.05	1.05
3212	Pillsbury's Best							.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95
3213	Gold Medal							.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90
3214	King Arthur							1.00	1.00	1.00	1.05	1.05	(1)
3201	Corn meal, per pound	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3209	Do							.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0280	.0280
3210	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	(1)
3211	Do	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350
3212	Do							.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0288	.0288
3213	Do							.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0400	.0400
3214	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0330	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	(1)
3201	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.55	.40	.40	.28	.30	.30	.48	.53	.33	.33	.33	.32
3203	Do							.42	.45	.30	.30	.30	.30
3209	Do	.42	.35	.32	.26	.26	.27	.43	.45	.29	.28	.26	.26
3210	Do							.50	.48	.35	.30	.30	(1)
3211	Do	.50	.50	.45	.40	.30	.30	.50	.50	.30	.32	.33	.33
3212	Do							.44	.52	.33	.33	.33	.33
3213	Do							(1)	(1)	.33	.32	.30	.30
3214	Do							(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	.30	(1)
3203	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)					.34	.41				
3209	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	.38				
3210	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	.40				
3211	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	.30				
3212	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	.40				
3214	Do	(1)	(1)					.32	.40				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
3201	Print	.38	.38	.35	.30	.30	.32	.44	.44	.40	.42	.42	.38
3209	Tub	.35	.33	.33	.27	.28	.29	.40	.40	.35	.37	.35	.33
3211	Do	.38	.38	.38	.38	.36	.33	.47	.45	.40	.42	.40	.38
3212	Print							.42	.42	.38	.38	.40	.36
3213	Tub							.40	.40	.40	.40	.38	.38

3201	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.40	.40	.45	.50	.40
3203	Do	.22	.23	.20	.35	.35	.50	.37	.39	.40	.45	.43	.35
3209	Do							.32	.35	.35	.40	.32	.35
3210	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.60	.35	.40	.45	.45	.40	(1)
3211	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.40	.40	.40	.45	.50	.45	.40
3212	Do							.35	.40	.40	.45	.45	.40
3213	Do							.35	.35	.45	.45	.40	.50
3214	Do							.40	.40	.40	.45	.40	(1)
3201	Sugar, granulated, in 25-cent, 50-cent, or $1 lots, per pound							.0714	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625
3209	Do							.0606	.0606	.0625	.0556	.0541	.0541
3210	Do	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0714	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0667	(1)
3211	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0700	.0800	.0800	.0700	.0700	.0700
3212	Do							.0606	.0625	.0645	.0588	.0588	.0588
3213	Do							.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667
3214	Do							.0556	.0625	.0714	.0625	.0625	(1)
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
3202	Raw or pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
3204	(2)	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
3205	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
3206	Raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
3208	Pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08

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3303	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.23	$0.23
3307	Do	.25	.23	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	(1)
3308	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.20
3309	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25
3316	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25
3303	Round steak, per pound	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.20	.20
3307	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	(1)
3308	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.16	.17	.16	.17	.20	.19
3309	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.20	.20
3316	Do	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.20	.20
3303	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.23	.22
3307	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	(1)
3308	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16⅔	.18
3309	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3316	Do	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.20	.20

[1] No quotation.

[2] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

RICHMOND, VA.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3303	Chuck roast, per pound							$0.12½	$0.12½	$0.12½	$0.12½	(1)	(1)
3304	Do							.15	.15	.12½	.12½	$0.15	$0.15
3308	Do							.12	.11	.11	.12	.14	.14
3309	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
3316	Do							(1)	(1)	(1)	.15	.20	.17
3303	Pork chops, loin, per pound	$0.16⅔	$0.16⅔	$0.16⅔	$0.16⅔	$0.16⅔	$0.16⅔	.16⅔	.15	.15	.18	.19	.19
3304	Do							.18	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20
3307	Do	.20	.18	.18	.16⅔	.16⅔	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	(1)
3308	Do	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.13	.17	.15	.17	.18	.17	.18
3316	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16⅔	.15	.16⅔	.20	.20	.20
3303	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3306	Do	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.25	.22	.20	.22	.20	.25	.22
3307	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)
3308	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
3311	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
3313	Do	.28	.26	.25	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
3303	Sliced	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3306	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22	.25	.25
3307	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	(1)
3308	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.19	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
3311	Whole, 6 to 8 pounds	.20	.20	.19	.19	.18	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
3313	Sliced	.28	.28	.25	.22	.22	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
3304	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3306	Do	.17	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.15
3307	Do	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)
3311	Do	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.12½	.12½	.14	.15	.15
3313	Do	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3303	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	(1)	(1)
3307	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)
3308	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.18	.17	.18	.20	.20	.20
3309	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3316	Do	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16⅔	.20	.16⅔

3302	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.19	.20	.19	.18½	.18	.18
3303	Do	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3304	Do	.22	.23	.23	.25	.23	.23	.20	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22
3305	Do	.16	.16	.20	.20	.15	.16	.14	.14	.15	.20	.18	.20
3307	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22	(1)	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	(1)
3318	Do							.16	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
3303	Pillsbury's Best	.85	.85	.78	.78	.78	.78	.85	.86	.85	.85	.94	.90
3304	Gold Medal	.86	.86	.86	.86	.86	.86	.90	.90	.90	.95	.90	.90
3307	Do	.84	.84	.84	.84	.84	.80	.90	.85	.90	.90	(1)	(1)
3311	Patapsco	.75	.75	.75	.75	.70	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75	.80	.80
3313	Obelisk	.75	.70	.70	.70	.75	.80	.85	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90
3303	Corn meal, per pound	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250
3304	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
3306	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
3307	Do							.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	(1)
3311	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0292	.0292
3313	Do	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250
3303	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.37	.25	.20	.20	.20	.23	.40	.37	.25	.25	.23	.23
3304	Do	.30	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.38	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
3306	Do	.30	.30	.27	.22	.20	.22	.38	.28	.25	.23	.25	.25
3307	Do	(1)	.30	.25	.20	.22	.22	.45	.35	.25	.25	.23	(1)
3311	Do	.40	.23	.20	.20	.20	.22	.38	.45	.30	.25	.23	.25
3313	Do	.35	.32	.28	.22	.22	.22	.38	.40	.25	.25	.25	.25
3303	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.30	.18					.28	(1)				
3304	Do	.25	(1)					.30	(1)				
3306	Do	.25	.22					.32	(1)				
3307	Do	.35	(1)					.40	(1)				
3308	Do	.30	.20					.30	(1)				
3313	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	(1)				
3303	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.38	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.43	.40	.36	.38	.38	.34
3304	Do	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.48	.45	.40	.40	.40	.40
3306	Do	.35	.33	.30	.30	.30	.31	.45	.38	.36	.38	.35	.35
3307	Do	.40	.35	.35	.33	.32	.32	.48	.40	.38	.40	.40	(1)
3311	Do	.40	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.40	.40	.35
3313	Do	.40	.35	.35	.32	.30	.32	.50	.42	.40	.40	.40	.38
3303	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.60	.35	.38	.40	.45	.45	.45
3304	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.35	.40	.40	.50	.50	.50	.50
3306	Do	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35	.50	.40	.40	.40	.50	.50	.50
3307	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.60	.40	.45	.50	.50	.70	(1)
3311	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.35	.40	.45	.45	.50	.50	.50
3313	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.40	.40	.45	.50	.50	.50

[1] No quotation.

[2] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

RICHMOND, VA.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3303	Sugar, granulated, per pound	$0.0550	$0.0550	$0.0550	$0.0550	$0.0550	$0.0550	$0.0650	$0.0575	$0.0600	$0.0600	$0.0600	$0.0600
3304	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600
3306	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0600	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
3307	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0700	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	(1)
3311	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
3313	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0700	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
3301	(2)	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	.11	(1)	(1)	(1)
3310	Raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
3314	Do	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
3315	Do	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
3317	(2)	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	(1)

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3401	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.20½	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.25	$0.25
3402	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.21	.21	.21	.22	.25	.25
3403	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
3405	Do	.25	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.23	.27
3408	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3411	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.18	.18
3401	Round steak, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½
3402	Do	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25
3403	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20
3405	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16½	.17	.17	.17½	.20	.22
3408	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3411	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18
3401	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
3402	Do	.17	.17	.17	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.17	.20	.18
3403	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17	.17

3405	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22
3408	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.11	.11	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14
3411	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.12½	.13	.14	.15	.20	.17
3401	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
3402	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.16	.16
3403	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.13	.13
3405	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
3408	Do							.10	.11	.11	.10	.10	.10
3411	Do							.08	.09	.10	.12	.15	.15
3401	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20
3402	Do	.20	.20	.18	.17	.16	.15	.17	.17	.17	.18	.18	.18
3403	Do	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17	.15	.15	.15	.20	.18	.18
3405	Do	.22	.20	.18	.18	.15	.15	.16	.15	.18	.20	.20	.20
3408	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
3411	Do	.15	.15	.16	.16	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.18	.17½
3402	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3403	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3405	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30
3406	Do	.25	.25	.23	.23	.22	.22	.18	.18	.18	.18½	.19	.20
3408	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3411	Do	.28	.28	.27	.28	.28	.28	.22½	.22½	.25	.22	.28	.25
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
3402	Sliced	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3403	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3405	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.28	.28	.30	.30	.30
3406	Whole	.16½	.17	.16½	.16½	.17	.18	.15½	.15½	.16	.16	.16½	.17½
3408	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3411	Whole, 10 to 12 pounds	.17½	.17½	.17	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16
3402	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.15	.10	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.15
3403	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.12½
3405	Do	.15	.15	.13	.13	.11	.11	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
3406	Do	.15	.15	.12½	.10	.10	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
3411	Do	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.10	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
3401	Leg of lamb, yearling,[3] per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.20	.20
3402	Do	.16	.17	.17	.18	.17	.17	.15	.16	.17	.17	.22	.18
3403	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.16	.16	.16	.17	.17	.17
3405	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20
3408	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14
3411	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.14	.15	.14	.14	.15	.15

[1] No quotation.
[2] Description, "pasteurized" or "raw," not reported.
[3] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3401	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	$0.17½	$0.17½	$0.17½	$0.17½	$0.17½	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.17½	$0.20	$0.17½	$0.17
3403	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17	.17½	.18	.18	.17	.17	.17
3405	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.15	.16	.18	.16	.16
3408	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.16	.16	.16	.15	.17	.16	.16	.16
3411	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.18	.16	.18	.16
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
3402	Gold Medal	.80	.80	.75	.75	.65	.65	.80	.80	.80	.85	.85	.85
3403	Royal Patent	.80	.80	.75	.75	.70	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
3405	Do	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
3406	Standard Tilton	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.70	.70	.70	.70	.75	.80
3411	Royal Patent	.70	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.70	.70	.70	.75	.80	.80
3402	Corn meal, per pound	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0333	.0333	.0333
3403	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3405	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
3406	Do	.0160	.0160	.0160	.0160	.0160	.0160	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240	.0240
3411	Do	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333
3402	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.30	.30	.20	.17	.15	.18	.40	.35	.25	.23	.24	.23
3403	Do	.28	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.38	.38	.25	.25	.22	.25
3405	Do	.40	.35	.20	.20	.20	.20	.40	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
3406	Do	.32½	.17½	.20½	.17½	.17½	.15	.40	.32½	.23	.22½	.20	.22½
3411	Do	.30	.25	.18	.18	.18	.18	.35	.40	.22½	.21	.21	.22
3403	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.33	.33	.....	.....	.....	.....
3405	Do	.30	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	(1)	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
3406	Do	.25	.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....
3411	Do	.22	.22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.28	.35	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
3402	Tub	.35	.35	.30	.29	.29	.30	.42	.40	.40	.38	.38	.35
3403	Do	.38	.35	.35	.28	.30	.28	.45	.41	.36	.35	.34	.33
3405	Do	.40	.40	.38	.38	.33	.30	.45	.38	.35	.40	.40	.35
3406	Do	.35	.32½	.30	.27½	.27½	.27½	.45	.40	.35	.38	.35	.32½
3411	Print	.38	.35	.35	.25	.28	.28	.38	.40	.38	.35	.38	.35

3402	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.35	.35	.35	.45	.45	.45	.45
3403	Do	.30	.25	.25	.25	.60	.70	.40	.40	.50	.45	.40	.40
3405	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.60	.75	.30	.35	.40	.50	.45	.50
3406	Do	.20	.20	.25	.30	.50	.60	.40	.35	.40	.40	.50	.45
3411	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.65	.30	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40
3402	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714
3403	Do	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700
3405	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588
3406	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0571	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0588	.0588	.0588
3411	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, per quart:												
3404	Bottled, pasteurized	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07
3407	Do	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07
3409	From can, raw	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	(1)	(1)	(1)
3410	Bottled, pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07
3412	Bottled, raw or pasteurized	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07	.08	.08	.08	.07	.07	.07

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3501	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.16	$0.16	$0.17	$0.17	$0.20	$0.18	$0.18	$0.17½	$0.20	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.22½
3502	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
3504	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	(1)
3506	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.22½	.22½
3507	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.22½	.22½	.22½
3511	Do	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.25	.25
3512	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.22½	.22½
3515	Do	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
3501	Round steak, per pound	.14	.14	.15	.15	.16	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
3502	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
3504	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	(1)
3506	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
3507	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
3511	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20
3512	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20
3515	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3501	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.17	.17	.18	.18	.17	.15	.17½	.20	.20	.20
3502	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3504	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	(1)
3506	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3507	Do	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
3511	Do	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20
3512	Do	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.20
3515	Do	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13½	.16	.16	.16	.17	.18

[1] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

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Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3501	Chuck roast, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$0.12½	$0.12½	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15
3502	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3504	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	(1)
3506	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.14	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
3507	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3511	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15
3512	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
3515	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3501	Pork chops, loin, per pound	$0.22	$0.22	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.22	$0.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3502	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3504	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(1)
3506	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.23	.20	.20	.20	.20
3507	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.20	.22½	.22½	.22½
3511	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.22½	.22½	.22½
3512	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.20	.20	.20
3515	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3501	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.25
3502	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30
3504	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	(1)
3506	Do	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.40	.40	.40
3507	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.30
3511	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3512	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3515	Do	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3501	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.25	.27	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.25
3502	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3504	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	(1)
3506	Do	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3507	Do	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3511	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3512	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3515	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25

	Lard, pure:												
3501	Tub, per pound	.20	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½
3502	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.20	.20
3504	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)
3506	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.17½	.20	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½
3507	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½
3512	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
3513	Per 5-pound pail, gross weight	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.80	.90	.90
3515	Tub, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3516	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3501	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.17	.17	.17	.17	.15	.12	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½
3502	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.20	.20
3504	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(1)
3506	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
3507	Do	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17	.17½
3511	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½
3512	Do	.15	.15	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½	.17½
3515	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.15
3501	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.22½
3502	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.22½	.25	.25	.25
3504	Do	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	(1)
3506	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.22½
3507	Do	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.25	.25	.25
3511	Do	.22½	.22½	.25	.25	.25	.22½	.20	.20	.22½	.22½	.25	.20
	Flour, wheat:												
3501	Layton's High Patent, per ¼-barrel bag	1.25	1.25	1.15	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.35	1.45	1.50
3502	Husler's High Patent, per ¼-barrel bag	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.30	1.55	1.55
3506	Do	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.35	1.25	1.35	1.45	1.50	1.55
3507	Husler's High Patent, per ½-barrel bag	2.45	2.45	2.40	2.40	2.40	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Husler's High Patent, per ¼-barrel bag	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.15	1.05	1.05	1.40	1.45	1.45
3512	Smith's High Patent, per ¼-barrel bag	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.30	1.30
	Smith's High Patent, per ⅛-barrel bag	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65	.70	.....	.....
3513	Husler's Straight Grade, per ½-barrel bag	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.20	2.10	2.20	2.35	2.95	2.85
3516	Husler's Straight Grade, per ¼-barrel bag	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.20	1.40	1.40
3501	Corn meal, in 9 or 10 pound lots	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3502	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0300
3506	Do	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350
3507	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0350	.0350
3512	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3513	Do	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0333	.0389	.0389	.0389	.0389	.0389	.0389
3516	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0350	.0350

[1] No quotation.

[2] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3501	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	$0.40	$0.35	$0.30	$0.30	$0.30	$0.30	$0.40	$0.30	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.22½	$0.22½
3502	Do	.40	.35	.30	.32	.30	.30	.45	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
3506	Do	.40	.40	.40	.35	.30	.25	.45	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
3507	Do	.40	.40	.35	.30	.30	.30	.40	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25
3508	Do							.40	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
3512	Do	.35	.35	.30	.20	.25	.25	.40	.35	.22½	.22½	.25	.25
3513	Do	.35	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.40	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3516	Do	.40	.35	.25	.25	.30	.30	.40	.25	.20	.25	.25	.25
3501	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.25	.25					.30	(1)				
3502	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	(1)				
3506	Do	.35	.35					.35	(1)				
3507	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	(1)				
3508	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	(1)				
3512	Do	.30	.20					.35	(1)				
3513	Do	.30	.25					.35	(1)				
3516	Do	.35	.30					.30	(1)				
3501	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.40	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.30
3502	Do	.45	.40	.35	.30	.30	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35
3503	Do							.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35
3505	Do							.40	.40	.40	.35	.35	.30
3506	Do	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35
3507	Do							.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35
3512	Do	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.30
3513	Do	.40	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.30
3515	Do	.40	.35	.35	.35	.30	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35
3516	Do	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35
	Potatoes, Irish:												
3501	Per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.35	.30	.30	.45	.45	.40	.50
3502	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.45	.45	.45	.40
3506	Per 100 pounds	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	2.00	2.00	2.50	2.75	2.60	2.40
3507	Do	.85	.90	1.10	1.25	1.25	2.50	1.75	1.75	2.75	2.60	2.60	2.60
3512	Per peck	.25	.30	.30	.30	.35	.40	.30	.30	.40	.45	.45	.40
3516	Per pound	.02	.02	.02	.02	.02	.02						
	Per peck							.30	.40	.45	.45	.40	.40

	Sugar, granulated, per pound:												
3501	In $1 lots	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0714	.0714	.0741	.0741	.0714	.0714
3502	Do	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0769
3506	Do	.0883	.0833	.0833	.0833	.0833	.0909	.0833	.0833	.0833	.0833	.0833	.0833
3507	In 100-pound lots	.0585	.0580	.0580	.0590	.0590	.0610	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0665	.0665	.0665
3512	In $1 lots	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667	.0667
3513	Do	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0714	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	In 100-pound lots	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0650	.0680	.0680	.0635	.0610	.0620
3516	In $1 lots	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0769	.0769
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
3503	Pasteurized	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓
3505	Raw	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
3508	Pasteurized	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓
3509	Raw or pasteurized	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓
3510	Raw	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓

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3607	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.18	$0.18	$0.15
3612	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3613	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.18	.18
3615	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3617	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3624	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.18	.15	.18
3607	Round steak, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3612	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3613	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.15
3615	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18
3617	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.15
3624	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.15	.15
3607	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3612	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3613	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3615	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22	.22
3617	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3624	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3607	Chuck roast, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
3612	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
3613	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
3615	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15
3617	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12	.12½	.12	.12	.12½
3624	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.10	.10	.10	.12½	.10	.12

[1] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3607	Pork chops, loin, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20
3612	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3613	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
3615	Do	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
3617	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22½	.22½
3624	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
	Bacon, smoked, per pound:												
3604	Sliced	.30	.30	.27½	.27½	.27½	.27½	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3608	Do	.30	.32	.28	.28	.28	.28						
	Piece							.24	.24	.22	.22	.22	.22
3610	Sliced	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.27½
3612	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3613	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3615	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3617	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3618	Do	.40	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35	.35
3624	Do	.30	.30	.28	.28	.28	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
3604	Sliced	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35	.35	(1)	.35	(1)	(1)
3608	Whole, 12 to 14 pounds	.20	.20	.20	.19	.19	.20	.19	.19	.18	.18	.18	.20
3610	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22½	.22½	.25
3612	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3613	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3615	Whole	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.20	.22	.22
3617	Sliced	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25
3618	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3624	Whole	.23	.21	.19	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.19	.18	(1)
	Lard, pure:												
3604	Tub, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½
3608	Per 3-pound pail, gross weight	.60	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.45	.45	.45	.45	.50	.50
3610	Tub, per pound							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
	Per 3-pound pail, gross weight	.60	.50	.45	.45	.45	.45						
3612	Tub, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
3613	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.18
3615	Do	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15

3617	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15
3618	Do	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17½
3624	Do	.16⅔	.16⅔	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14
3607	Leg of lamb, yearling,[2] per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18	.15	.15
3612	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½
3613	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15
3615	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.18	.18	.16	.15
3617	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.16	.18
3624	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.16	.15	.15
3619	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound							.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23
3620	Do							.25	.25	.26	.25	.27	.23
3621	Do							.25	.24	.25	.25	.25	.24
3622	Do							.25	.25	.27	.25	25	.22½
3623	Do							.25	.25	.22	.23	.23	.23
3625	Do							.23	.23	.23	.23	.23	.23
	Flour, wheat, per ¼-barrel bag:												
3603	Sperry's	1.55	1.55	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.55	1.55	1.60	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
3604	Golden Gate	1.55	1.55	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.55	1.55	1.60	1.70	1.70	1.70	1.70
3608	Sperry's	1.55	1.55	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.55	1.55	1.60	1.60	1.70	1.70	1.70
3610	Do	1.55	1.55	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.55	1.55	1.60	1.60	1.70	1.70	1.70
3616	Sperry's or White Satin							1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.55	1.55
3618	Sperry's	1.55	1.55	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.55	1.55	1.60	1.60	1.70	1.70	1.70
3626	A1							1.55	1.60	1.60	1.65	1.70	1.70
3603	Corn meal, in 10-pound lots, per pound	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
3604	Do	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0250	.0350	.0350
3608	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0400	.0400	.0400	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0400	.0400
3610	Do	.0350	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0350	.0400	.0400
3616	Do							.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3618	Do	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350
3626	Do							.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0350
3603	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.40	.35	.40	.25	.25	.27½	.40	.30	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
3604	Do	.40	.35	.22½	.25	.25	.25	.40	.25	.22½	.23	.25	.25
3608	Do	.45	.40	.22½	.22½	.27½	.27½	.37½	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25
3610	Do	.40	.32	.22½	.22½	.25	.25	.35	.30	.22½	.25	.25	.25
3616	Do							.40	.27½	.22½	.25	.22½	.22½
3618	Do	.40	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25	.45	.27½	.25	.25	.25	.25
3626	Do							.40	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3603	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.30	.30					.30	(1)				
3604	Do	.30	(1)					.32½	(1)				
3608	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	(1)				
3616	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	(1)				
3618	Do	(1)	(1)					.35	(1)				
3626	Do	(1)	(1)					.30	(1)				

[1] No quotation.

[2] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3603	Butter, creamery, print, per 2 pounds	$0.80	$0.70	$0.70	$0.60	$0.55	$0.55	$0.85	$0.80	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
3604	Do	.80	.75	.60	.60	.60	.55	.85	.85	$0.75	$0.70	$0.65	$0.70
3608	Do	.85	.70	.70	.55	.55	.55	.85	.85	.80	.70	.65	.70
3610	Do	.80	.80	.70	.55	.55	.60	.80	.85	.75	.65	.65	.70
3616	Do	(1)	(1)	.65	.55	.55	.55	.80	.80	.75	.65	.65	.65
3618	Do	.80	.70	.70	.60	.60	.60	.85	.85	.80	.75	.65	.70
3626	Do							.85	.80	.70	.65	.60	.70
3603	Potatoes, Irish, per 100 pounds	3.00	3.00	3.00	2.75	2.50	2.25	2.25	2.25	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
3604	Do	2.10	2.10	2.50	2.75	3.10	2.00	2.00	2.75	3.00	3.00	3.00	1.65
3608	Do	2.70	2.90	3.00	3.00	3.25	3.50	2.75	2.75	3.10	3.25	2.75	2.75
3610	Do	2.25	2.75	2.75	3.00	3.25	3.00	2.25	2.25	2.75	3.00	3.50	2.50
3616	Do	2.50	2.50	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.25	2.00	2.25	2.50	2.75	2.25	2.50
3618	Do	2.40	2.75	2.75	3.25	4.00	3.50	2.50	2.60	3.65	3.65	3.50	2.25
3626	Do							2.40	2.40	2.75	3.00	2.50	2.00
	Sugar, granulated, per pound:												
3603	In 100-pound lots	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0525	.0550	.0615	.0625	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
3604	In $1 lots	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0625
3608	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0625	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625
3610	Do	.0556	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0556	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0588	.0556	.0556
3616	Do	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0500	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0588	.0588	.0588
3618	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0667	.0667	(1)	.0667
3626	Do							.0625	.0667	.0667	.0588	.0588	.0588
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, per quart:												
3602	Bottled or from cans, pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
3606	Bottled or from cans, raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
3609	Bottled, pasteurized	.09 7/12	.09 7/12	.09 7/12	.09 7/12	.09 7/12	.09 7/12	.09 7/12	.09 7/12	.09 1/3	.09 1/3	.09 1/3	.09 1/3
3611	Bottled or from cans, raw	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	(1)
3614	Bottled or from cans, pasteurized	.09 1/6	.09 1/6	.09 1/6	.09 1/6	.09 1/6	.09 1/6	.09 1/3	.09 1/3	.09 1/3	.09 1/3	.09 1/3	.09 1/3

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3706	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20
3707	Do	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.24

3710	Do	.18	.16	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.16	.16	.20	.20	.20
3715	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.24	.24
3717	Do							.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20
3706	Round steak, per pound	.14	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16
3707	Do	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20
3710	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.12½	.14	.12½	.12½	.18	.18	.18
3715	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
3717	Do							.14	.14	.14	.16	.16	.18
3706	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16
3707	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.25
3710	Do	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14
3715	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20
3717	Do							.12½	.14	.14	.16	.16	.18
3706	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.14
3707	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16
3710	Do							.10	.10	.10	.11	.11	.12½
3715	Do							.14	.14	.14	.14	.16	.16
3717	Do							.11	.11	.10	.12½	.14	.14
3706	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18
3707	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.16	.18	.20	.20	.20
3710	Do	.17	.16	.14	.14	.14	.15	.16	.14	.14	.15	.15	.15
3715	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.14	.16	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18
3717	Do							.16	.13	.15	.18	.18	.18
	Bacon, smoked, per pound:												
3706	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3707	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22
3710	Do							.22	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
3712	Do	.28	.28	.28	.26	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.25	.24
3714	Piece, 3 to 5 pounds	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24
3715	Sliced	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25
3717	Do							.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
3705	Whole, 12 to 16 pounds	.16	.16	.16	.20	.16	.16	.15	.16	.16	.16	.14	.16
3706	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3707	Do	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.24	.26	.26	.26
3710	Whole	.13½	.13½	.13½	.13½	.13½	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13½	.14	.14
3712	Sliced	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28
3713	Whole, 12 to 18 pounds	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.16	.16	.16	.15	.18	.18
3714	Whole, 12½ to 16 pounds	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3715	Sliced	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25
3717	Do							.22	.20	.20	.24	.22	.22

[1] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

SCRANTON, PA.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3703	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.15	$0.16	$0.16
3705	Do	.18	.16	.16	.15	.13	.13	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.15
3706	Do							.12½	.14	.14	.15	.14	.14
3710	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.14
3712	Do							.14	.14	.12½	.14	.16	.16
3713	Do	.16	.16	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14
3715	Do	.15	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15	.14	.14	.14	.14	.15
3716	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.14	.13	.13	.13	.13	.14	.14
3717	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.15	.15
3706	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	.16	.16	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.16	.16	.18	.20	.20
3707	Do	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.24
3715	Do	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.20
3717	Do							.14	.12½	.14	.16	.18	.18
3706	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.16	.20	.22	.20	.20	.20
3707	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.20	.20	.22	.24	.25	.22
3710	Do							.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16
3711	Do	.20	.22	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25
3715	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.16	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22
3717	Do							.18	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
3703	King Midas	1.00	1.00	.95	.90	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	1.00
3705	Do	1.00	1.00	1.00	.95	1.00	.95	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
3711	Do	1.00	1.00	1.00	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	1.00
3712	Snow White							.95	.95	.95	.95	1.00	.95
3713	Lucky Loaf	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
3714	King Midas	.93	.93	.93	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95
3716	Pillsbury's Best	.95	.95	.90	.85	.85	.85	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
3718	Lucky Loaf							.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95
3713	Corn meal, per pound	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200
3716	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300

3703	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.40	.30	.28	.25	.24	.25	.45	.50	.28	.28	.28	.28
3705	Do	.35	(2)	.20	.23	.25	.22	.50	.45	.25	.25	.25	.25
3708	Do	.40	.28	.25	.25	.23	.23	.40	.42	.30	.25	.25	.26
3709	Do	(2)	.26	.25	.23	.23	.25	.45	.40	.25	.25	.25	.25
3710	Do							.40	.38	.23	.24	.23	.24
3711	Do	.40	.30	.28	.25	.25	.25	.40	.50	.30	.30	.25	.25
3713	Do							.45	.45	.25	.25	.25	.25
3716	Do							.40	.45	.25	.26	.25	.25
3717	Do							.45	.45	.30	.25	.25	.25
3718	Do							.40	.40	.28	.27	.25	.25
3702	Eggs, storage, per dozen	(2)	(2)					.38	(2)				
3705	Do	(2)	.20					.32	(2)				
3709	Do	(2)	(2)					.38	(2)				
3710	Do	(2)	(2)					.28	(2)				
3711	Do	(2)	(2)					.30	(2)				
3717	Do	(2)	(2)					.28	.40				
3718	Do	(2)	(2)					.30	(2)				
	Butter, creamery, per pound:												
3703	Tub	.38	.36	.32	.30	.30	.30	.40	.40	.38	.38	.38	.35
3705	Do	.35	.35	.29	.25	.25	.25	.40	.38	.35	.38	.38	.35
3708	Prin	.40	.32	.32	.32	.30	.30	.42	.42	.40	.38	.38	.38
3709	Do							.40	.40	.36	.38	.37	.34
3710	Tub							.38	.36	.33	.35	.34	.31
3711	Print	.38	.35	.35	.30	.35	.35	.45	.48	.40	.40	.40	.35
3713	Tub	.34	.30	.30	.27	.27	.28	.40	.40	.36	.38	.38	.33
3716	Do	.36	.33	.30	.30	.29	.29	.38	.38	.38	.38	.36	.33
3717	Do							.35	.37	.38	.37	.40	.35
3718	Print												.35
	Tub							.40	.36	.35	.38	.37	
3703	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.70	.40	.40	.40	.45	.50	.50
3705	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.60	.40	.38	.40	.40	.40	.50
3711	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.60	.40	.40	.40	.50	.45	.50
3712	Do							.40	.40	.40	.45	.40	.50
3713	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.65	.35	.40	.40	.50	.35	.45
3714	Do	.23	.23	.20	.23	.23	.65	.40	.40	.40	.45	.40	.50
3716	Do	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25	.40	.40	.45	.45	.45	.40
3717	Do							.40	.40	.40	.45	.30	.50
3718	Do							.35	.35	.40	.45	.30	(2)
3703	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0800	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700	.0700
3705	Do							.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625	.0625
3712	Do							.0800	.0640	.0760	.0700	.0700	.0700
3713	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0588
3714	Do	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0769	.0689	.0714	.0714	.0690	.0690
3716	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625
3717	Do							.0625	.0588	.0625	.0625	.0588	.0556
3718	Do							.0714	.0645	.0714	.0667	.0625	.0645

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SCRANTON, PA.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, per quart:												
3702	Bottled, pasteurized	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08	$0.08
3704	Bottled, raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
3708	Bottled [1]	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08
3709	Bottled or from cans, raw	.08	.08	.08	.08	.06	.06	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07

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3802	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.20
3807	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
3810	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
3811	Do	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
3815	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
3819	Do							.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.22
3802	Round steak, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3807	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17½	.17½	.18	.18	.20	.20
3810	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
3811	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17	.17½
3815	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3819	Do							.15	.15	.16	.17	.18	.18
3802	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18
3807	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.17	.17	.17	.17
3810	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
3811	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.17	.18	.18
3815	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.18	.18
3819	Do							.15	.15	.15	.17	.18	.18
3802	Chuck roast, per pound							.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½
3807	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3810	Do							.12½	.12½	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
3811	Do							.12½	.11	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12
3815	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.12½
3819	Do							.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.13	.13

3802	Pork chops, loin, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3807	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25
3810	Do							.20	.20	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
3811	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3815	Do	.23	.23	.23	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.23	.23
3819	Do							.22	.22	.22	.23	.23	.25
3802	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3807	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
3811	Do	.30	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.25	.25	.30	.30
3815	Do	.27½	.27½	.25	.25	.25	.27½	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3816	Do							.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.35
3819	Do							.25	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30
3802	Ham, smoked, sliced, per pound	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3807	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3810	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
3811	Do	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.28	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
3815	Do	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3816	Do							.30	.30	.30	.25	.25	.30
3819	Do							.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30
3802	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.17½	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.20
3807	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3810	Do							.15	.15	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
3811	Do	.17½	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3815	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3816	Do	.17½	.17½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.17	.17
3817	Do	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.16⅔	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18
3819	Do							.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18
3802	Leg of lamb, yearling,[3] per pound	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.18	.18
3807	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
3810	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
3811	Do	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3815	Do	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.15	.15	.16	.17½	.17½	.17½
3819	Do							.15	.15	.17	.18	.18	.17
3802	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn, per pound	.25	.26	.26	.25	.25	.20	.23	.23	.23	.23	.20	.20
3807	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3810	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.25	.25	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
3811	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.23	.23	.23	.23	.20	.20
3819	Do							.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25

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SEATTLE, WASH.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	Flour, wheat, per ¼-barrel:												
3802	Centennial Best	$1.50	$1.45	$1.40	$1.45	$1.45	$1.45	$1.35	$1.35	$1.35	$1.35	$1.45	$1.45
3803	Do	1.50	1.50	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.40	1.40
	Fisher's Blend							1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.60	1.60
3806	Centennial Best	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.40	1.45	1.45	1.35	1.35	1.35	(1)		
3816	Krone	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.40	1.40
3817	Centennial Best	1.50	1.50	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.40	1.50
	Fisher's Blend							1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.65	1.70
3820	Centennial Best							1.35	1.35	1.35	1.40	1.40	1.45
	Fisher's Blend							1.55	1.55	(2)	(2)	1.50	(2)
3802	Corn meal, in 10-pound lots, per pound	.0300	.0300	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3803	Do	.0300	.0300	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300
3806	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300	.0300	(1)		
3816	Do	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3817	Do	.0350	.0350	.0350	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0350
3820	Do							.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300	.0300
3802	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen	.50	.35	.30	.28	.30	.30	.45	.32	.30	.25	.30	.30
3803	Do	.45	.35	.25	.25	.30	.30	.40	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
3806	Do	.60	.40	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.35	.30	(1)		
3816	Do	.50	.45	.30	.30	.30	.30	.40	.35	.27½	.25	.30	.30
3817	Do	.40	.35	.25	.30	.30	.30	.45	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
3820	Do							.35	.35	.25	.25	.25	.25
3802	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.30	.30					.40	(2)				
3817	Do	(2)	(2)					.35	(2)				
3802	Butter, creamery, in 1 or 2 pound prints, per pound	.45	.37½	.37½	.32½	.32½	.30	.42½	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35
3803	Do	.45	.40	.35	.35	.30	.30	.45	.40	.45	.35	.32½	.35
3806	Do	.45	.40	.35	.30	.30	.30	.40	.45	.40	(1)		
3816	Do	.45	.45	.35	.35	.35	.35	.45	.40	.40	.40	.35	.35
3817	Do	.45	.40	.40	.30	.32½	.30	.40	.40	.40	.37½	.37½	.35
3820	Do							.50	.40	.38	.35	.35	.35
3802	Potatoes, Irish, per 100 pounds	1.85	2.00	2.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.00	1.80	1.80	2.50	1.65	1.75
3803	Do	1.75	1.70	1.70	1.70	1.75	2.50	1.60	1.65	2.25	2.00	1.60	1.50

3806	Do	1.90	1.90	1.90	2.00	2.65	3.00	2.00	2.00	2.30	(1)	.....	.....
3816	Do	1.75	2.00	2.00	2.25	3.00	4.25	1.75	1.85	1.90	2.35	1.75	1.65
3817	Do	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.50	3.00	4.50	1.65	1.75	2.25	2.50	1.75	1.50
3820	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.85	1.85	2.25	2.35	1.50	1.30
3802	Sugar, granulated, in $1 lots, per pound	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714
3803	Do	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0556	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0667	.0667	.0667
3806	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0769	.0714	(1)	.....	.....
3816	Do	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0588	.0625	.0667	.0667	.0667	.0625	.0625
3817	Do	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0625	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0714	.0667
3820	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.0667	.0833	.0769	.0667	.0667	.0667
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
3805	Pasteurized	.10	.10	.10	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.10	.10	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓
3808	Pasteurized or raw	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓
3812	Do	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10	.10
3813	Raw	.08½	.08½	.08½	.08	.08	.08	.08½	.08½	.08	.08	.....	.....
	Pasteurized	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.08	.08
3814	Do	.10	.10	.10	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.10	.10	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓
3818	Do	.10	.10	.10	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.10	.10	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓	.08⅓

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3902	Sirloin steak, per pound	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.20	$0.18	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.23	$0.25
3903	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.30
3905	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25
3908	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.23	.28	.28
3909	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
3913	Do	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.24	.22	.22	.22	.25	.25	.25
3914	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.23	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.28
3902	Round steak, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.16	.16	.15	.18	.20	.20
3903	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.25	.25
3905	Do	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
3908	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.18	.20	.22	.23
3909	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16	.17	.17	.17	.17	.18	.20
3913	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.20	.18	.18	.18	.22	.23	.23
3914	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.25
3902	Rib roast, bone in, per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.18	.20	.20
3903	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.22
3905	Do	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.20	.20
3908	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20
3913	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.17	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.22
3914	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20	.23	.23

[1] Discontinued.

[2] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Continued.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3902	Chuck roast, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$0.12½	$0.12½	$0.12½	$0.12½	$0.15	$0.16
3903	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.12½	.15	.18	.18
3905	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.16
3908	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.12½	.15	.15	.15	.15
3909	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.12½	.12½	.14	.14	.16	.18
3913	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.18	.15	.18
3914	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18
3902	Pork chops, loin, per pound	$0.18	$0.18	$0.20	$0.18	$0.15	$0.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18
3903	Do	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.16	.19	.15	.16	.19	.20	.19
3905	Do	.22	.18	.16	.16	.18	.18	.18	.16	.16	.20	.20	.20
3908	Do	.20	.20	.20	.18	.18	.18	.20	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20
3909	Do	.18	.18	.14	.18	.17	.17	.18	.15	.16	.19	.20	.20
3913	Do	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.22
3914	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.18	.20	.15	.18	.20	.20	.20
3902	Bacon, smoked, sliced, per pound	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3903	Do	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.24	.25	.25
3905	Do	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.20	.18	.18	.20	.22	.22
3908	Do	.28	.28	.28	.25	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.25
3909	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22
3913	Do	.25	.25	.25	.22	.22	.22	.20	.22	.22	.22	.24	.24
3914	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
	Ham, smoked, per pound:												
3902	Whole, 8 to 10 pounds	.17	.17	.17	.17	.15	.15	.15	.15	.14	.15	.17	.17
3903	Sliced	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3905	Whole, 8 to 10 pounds	.18	.18	.18	.17	.17	.17	.16	.16	.15	.16	.17	.18
3908	Sliced	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25
3909	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.22	.23	.23	.25	.25	.25
3913	Whole, 8 to 10 pounds	.18	.18	.18	.16	.17	.18	.15	.17	.18	.18	.18	.18
3914	Sliced	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30	.30
3902	Lard, pure, tub, per pound	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12	.12	.12	.12½	.14	.14
3903	Do	.15	.15	.15	.12½	.12	.12	.13	.12½	.12½	.13	.15	.15
3905	Do	.16	.15	.11	.11	.11	.11	.12	.12	.12	.13	.14	.14
3908	Do	.16	.16	.11	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.13	.14	.14
3909	Do	.18	.18	.15	.13	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½

3913	Do	.15	.15	.13	.12	.11	.13	.13	.14	.14	.15	.15	.16
3914	Do						.12½	.12½	.12½	.12½	.14	.15	.15
3902	Leg of lamb, yearling,[1] per pound	.18	.18	.18	.18	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15
3903	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.16	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.20
3905	Do	.18	.18	.18	.16	.17	.18	.17	.16	.16	.20	.22	.22
3908	Do	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.15	.18	.18	.18
3913	Do	.20	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18	.22	.25	.22
3914	Do						.18	.18	.18	.18	.20	.23	(2)
	Hens, year or more old, dressed, not drawn,												
3902	per pound	.22	.22	.22	.25	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3903	Do	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.22	.22	.20
3907	Do	.20	.19	.19½	.21½	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20
3908	Do	.20	.20	.20	.22	.25	.22	.18	.18	.20	.20	.20	.20
3913	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.20	.25	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
3914	Do						.23	.20	.20	.20	.23	.23	.23
	Flour, wheat, per ⅛-barrel bag:												
3902	Gold Medal	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95
3903	Hecker's Superlative	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95	1.00
3905	Hecker's Superlative or Gold Medal	1.00	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95	.95
3908	Gold Medal	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90	.95
3909	Do	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
3913	Do	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
3902	Corn meal, per pound	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0200	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
3903	Do	.0267	.0267	.0267	.0267	.0267	.0267	.0267	.0267	.0267	.0267	.0267	.0300
3905	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
3908	Do	.0267	.0267	.0167	.0167	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0300	.0300
3909	Do	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
3913	Do	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0208	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250	.0250
3901	Eggs, strictly fresh, near-by, per dozen							.40	.45	.25	.24	.25	.25
3902	Do	.45	.25	.22	.20	.22	.22	.40	.40	.25	.23	.25	.25
3903	Do	.30	.22	.22	.20	.22	.22	.40	.42	.22	.23	.24	.25
3905	Do	.35	.20	.22	.20	.22	.20	.40	.40	.23	.22	.22	.25
3908	Do	.38	.25	.25	.20	.20	.20	.40	.38	.25	.23	.25	.25
3909	Do							(2)	.40	.25	.25	.23	.25
3911	Do							.45	.40	.30	.23	.25	.28
3912	Do							.45	.40	.25	.22	.25	.25
3913	Do	.25	.22	.20	.23	.22	.28	.45	.40	.24	.25	.27	.27
3902	Eggs, storage, per dozen	.30	.30					.30	.30				
3903	Do	.25	(2)					.32	(2)				
3909	Do	(2)	(2)					.35	(2)				

[1] The prices are for the article generally known to the trade as "yearling." The age of the sheep ("yearling") varies from approximately 9 to 18 months. Owing to the fact that, in some firms, the age varies considerably with different seasons of the year, no "relative" prices are computed for this article in this report.

[2] No quotation.

TABLE I.—RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Concluded.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Commodity.	1911						1912					
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
3901	Butter, creamery, print, per pound	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$0.45	$0.42	$0.38	$0.40	$0.35	$0.34
3902	Do	$0.35	$0.35	$0.35	$0.30	$0.30	$0.32	.45	.40	.38	.38	.35	.35
3903	Do	.40	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.42	.38	.42	.40	.35
3905	Do	.40	.35	.30	.30	.30	.30	.45	.40	.38	.38	.38	.35
3908	Do	.38	.35	.35	.30	.30	.30	.45	.35	.35	.38	.38	.35
3909	Do	.36	.33	.34	.30	.30	.30	.44	.40	.36	.40	.38	.33
3912	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.45	.40	.36	.40	.38	.33
3913	Do	.38	.35	.33	.32	.30	.30	.47	.40	.44	.38	.35	.33
3902	Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.25	.25	.25	.25	.60	.60	.30	.30	.40	.45	.40	.40
3903	Do	.20	.20	.20	.25	.25	.30	.35	.35	.40	.40	.40	.45
3905	Do	.25	.25	.20	.25	.25	.25	.40	.40	.40	.45	.45	.50
3908	Do	.25	.25	.20	.20	.25	.25	.35	.40	.40	.40	.40	.50
3909	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.25	.60	.35	.40	.40	.45	.40	.50
3913	Do	.25	.25	.25	.25	.30	.40	.40	.40	.40	.50	.45	.45
3914	Do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.35	.40	.40	.40	.45	.45	.45
3902	Sugar, granulated, per pound	.0600	.0550	.0550	.0500	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0650
3903	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0500	.0650	.0650	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
3905	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
3908	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0600	.0550
3909	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0600	.0600	.0650	.0600	.0600	.0600
3913	Do	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0550	.0660	.0660	.0660	.0660	.0600	.0600
	Milk, fresh, unskimmed, delivered, bottled, per quart:												
3901	Pasteurized	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.09	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08
3904	Do	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08
3910	Raw	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Pasteurized	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08
3911	Raw	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08
3912	Do	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.08

TABLE II.—BREAD WEIGHTS: SCALING WEIGHT (WEIGHT OF DOUGH BEFORE BAKING), IN OUNCES, OF THE PRINCIPAL BRANDS OF WHEAT BREAD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS AND BRANDS.

ATLANTA, GA.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B101	A	$0.05	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	13½	13½	13½	13½	13	13
B102	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13½	13½	13½	(1)	(1)	(1)
B103	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

BALTIMORE, MD.

B201	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	16½
B202	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16½	16½	16½	16½	16½	16½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16½	16½	16½	16½	16½	16½
	C	.05	16	16	16	16	16½	16½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B203	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17½	17½
	C	.05	15½	15½	15½	15½	17½	17½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

B301	A	$0.05	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17	17	17	17	16	16
	B (wrapped)	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15	15
B302	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	14	14	14	(1)	(1)

BOSTON, MASS.

B401	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	15½	15½	15¾	15¾
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	15½	15½	15¾	15¾
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	15½	15½	15¾	15¾
B402	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
B403	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15

BUFFALO, N. Y.

B501	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16½	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16¼	16	16	16	16	16
B502	A (wrapped)	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	(1)	16	(1)	(1)	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	(1)	16	(1)	16	(1)	(1)
	D	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	32	(1)
	E	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	(1)
	F	.05	17	17	17	18	18	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B503	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16

[1] No quotation.

TABLE II.—BREAD WEIGHTS: SCALING WEIGHT (WEIGHT OF DOUGH BEFORE BAKING), IN OUNCES, OF THE PRINCIPAL BRANDS OF WHEAT BREAD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS AND BRANDS—Continued.

CHARLESTON, S. C.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B601	A	$0.05	16	16	16	17	17	17	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
B602	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	14	14	14	14	14
	D	.05	15	15	15	15	16	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

CHICAGO, ILL.

B701	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
B702	A	.05	14½	15	15	15	15	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14½	14½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14½	14½
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	14¾	14¾
B703	A	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	30	30	28	28
	B	.05	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	14½	14½
B704	A	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15

CINCINNATI, OHIO.

B801	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	17	17	17	17	17	17	16	16	16	16	16	16
B802	A	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	17	17	17	17	17	17
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	18	18	18	18	18
B803	A	.03	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.03	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	C (wrapped).	.04	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	17
B804	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	18	18	18	18	18
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	18	18	18	18	18
	C	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B805	A	.05	17	17	17	17	17	17	16½	16½	16½	16½	16½	16½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16

TABLE II.—BREAD WEIGHTS: SCALING WEIGHT (WEIGHT OF DOUGH BEFORE BAKING), IN OUNCES, OF THE PRINCIPAL BRANDS OF WHEAT BREAD ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY TO JUNE, 1911, AND JANUARY TO JUNE, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS AND BRANDS—Continued.

CLEVELAND, OHIO.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B901	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	15¾	16½	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	14¾	15	15	15
	C (wrapped)	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	13¾	15	15	15
B902	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
B903	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	17
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	17
B904	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	16½
B905	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	17
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	17
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	17
B906	A	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	32	32	32	32	32
	B	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	32	32	32	32	32
	C	.08	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	26	26	26	26	26
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16

DALLAS, TEX.

B1001	A	$0.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	14	14
B1002	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	14	14	14	14	14
	B	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B1003	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	18	18	18	18	18
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	18	18	18	18	18
	C	.05	18	18	18	18	18	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B1004	A	.05	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18

DENVER, COLO.

B1101	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	19	19	18½	18¼	18
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	19	19	18½	18¼	18
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	19	19	18½	18¼	18
B1102	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	19	19	18½	18¼	18¼
B1103	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	18	18	18	18	18
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½

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DETROIT, MICH.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B1201	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
B1202	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
B1203	A	.09	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29½	29½	29	29	29	29
	B	.09	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	.....	.....	.....	.....
B1204	A	.09	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29½	29	.....	.....	.....	.....
		.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	14½	15	14½
	B	.09	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29½	29	.....	.....	29	.....
		.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14½	.....	14½
	C	.09	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	14½	15	14½
B1205	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15

FALL RIVER, MASS.

B1301	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
B1302	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	14½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	14½

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

B1401	A	$0.05	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½
	B	.05	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½
	C	.05	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½
B1402	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17¼	17¼	17¼	17½	17½	17½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17¼	17¼	17¼	17½	17½	17½
	Av. all brands	.05	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B1403	A	.05	18½	18½	19	19	19	19	19	18½	18½	18½	17¾	17¾
	B	.05	17	17	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17¼	17¼	17¼	16¾	16¾
	C	.05	17	17	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17¼	17¼	17¼	16¾	16¾

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

B1501	A	$0.05	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	14	14	14	13	13
B1502	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	14	14	14	(1)	(1)
B1503	A	.05	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14
B1504	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	14	14	14	14	14
B1505	A	[2] .05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	14	14	14	14	14
	B	[2] .05	14	14	14	14	14	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

[1] No quotation.

[2] Six loaves for 25 cents.

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KANSAS CITY, MO.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B1601	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
B1602	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	B	.05	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	C	.05	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	D	.05	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B1603	A	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
B1604	A	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

B1701	A	[2]$0.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	16	16	16	15	15
	B	[2].05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	16	16	16	15	15
B1702	A	.05	13	13	13	13	13	13	13½	13½	13½	13½	13½	14
B1703	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14½	14½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14½	14½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14½	14½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	D	[2].05	14	(1)	14	(1)	14	(1)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B1704	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	30	30	30	30

LOS ANGELES, CAL.

B1801	A	$0.10	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
B1802	A (wrapped)	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	30	30	(1)	(1)
	B	.10	31	31	31	31	31	31	30	30	30	30	(1)	(1)
B1803	A	[3].07½	24	24	24	24	24	24	23	23	23	23	24	24
	B	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	32	32	32	32	32	32
	C	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	28	28	28	28	28
B1804	A	.10	30	30	30	30	30	30	28	28	28	28	28	28
B1805	A	[3].07½	26	26	26	26	26	26	24	24	24	24	24	24

LOUISVILLE, KY.

B1901	A	[4]$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	[4].05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
	C	[4].05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
B1902	A	.05	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	14½	14½	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16
B1903	A	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	14	14
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	15	15
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	14	14

[1] No quotation.
[2] Six loaves for 25 cents.
[3] Two loaves for 15 cents.
[4] Six loaves for 25 cents over the counter.

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MANCHESTER, N. H.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B2001	A	$0.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	30	30	30	(1)
B2002	A	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	28	28	28	28	28
B2003	A	[2].10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	30	30	30	30
	B	[2].10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	30	30	30	30
	C	[3].05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
B2004	A (French)	.07	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	28	28	(1)	(1)	(1)
	B	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	30	(1)	(1)	(1)

MEMPHIS, TENN.

B2101	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	C (wrapped)	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	29	29	29	29	29
	D	.05	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B2102	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	30	30	30	30
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	D	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B2103	A (wrapped)	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	29	29	29	29	29
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	C	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

MILWAUKEE, WIS.

B2201	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	(1)
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	(1)
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15¾	(1)
B2202	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15¼	15	15	15	15¼
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15¼	15	15	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15¼	15¼	15	15	15	15¼
B2203	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15	15	15½	(1)
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15	15	15½	(1)
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15	15	15½	(1)
B2204	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	15	15	14½
B2205	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15

[1] No quotation. [2] Three loaves for 25 cents. [3] Six loaves for 25 cents.

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MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B2301	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
B2302	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾	16	15
B2303	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
B2304	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	15½	16	16	16	15½
B2305	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16

NEWARK, N. J.

B2401	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½
	D (wrapped)	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	(1)	(1)	16½	16½	16½	16½
B2402	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15¾	15½	15½	15½	15	15½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾

NEW HAVEN, CONN.

B2501	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B (wrapped)	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	C (wrapped)	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	28	28	28
B2502	A	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
B2503	A (wrapped)	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27	27	27	27	(1)	(1)
	B (wrapped)	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	(1)	(1)
	C	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	28	28	28	(1)	(1)
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	(1)	(1)

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

B2601	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	21	21	21	(1)	(1)
	B	.05	22	22	22	22	22	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B2602	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	18	18	18	17½	17
	B (wrapped)	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	15½	15½
	C (French)	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20½	20½	20	20½	19	18½
B2603	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	19	19	19	18	18
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	18	18	18	17	17
B2604	A	.05	19	19	19	20	20	20	20	19–20	18½–19	17–18	17–18	17–18
	B	.05	19	19	19	20	20	20	20	19–20	18½–19	17–18	17–18	17–18
	C	.05	19	19	19	20	20	20	20	19–20	18½–19	17–18	17–18	17–18

[1] No quotation.

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NEW YORK, N. Y.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B2701	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	14	14	14	14	14
B2702	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	15½	15½	15½	15½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
B2703	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14¼	14	14	14	13¾	14
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15¼	15	14¼	15¼	14¾	15¼
B2704	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14¾	15	15¼	15¼	15¼	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14¾	15½	15½	15¼	15	15
B2705	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15¼	15½	15¼	15¼
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15½	15¼	15¾	15¼	15¼
B2706	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15¼	15¼	15½	15½	15	15½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15¼	15¼	15½	15	15¼
B2707	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15¼	15¼	15¼	15¼	15½	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15¼	15½	15½	15½	15½	15
B2708	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15¼	15	15¼	15¼
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15¼
B2709	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	15½

OMAHA, NEBR.

During the period covered by this report the loaf of bread commonly sold in this city for 5 cents weighed 16 ounces after baking, as determined by the city ordinance quoted below:

The weight of bread exposed or offered for sale in the city of Omaha is hereby prescribed as follows: A single loaf of bread shall weigh when baked sixteen (16) ounces; a full, or double, loaf of bread shall weigh when baked thirty-two (32) ounces. Any person or persons exposing or offering for sale or making sale of any single loaf of bread weighing when baked less than sixteen (16) ounces, or exposing or offering for sale any full, or double, loaf of bread weighing less than thirty-two (32) ounces shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding ten dollars ($10) for each and every offense.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B2901	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	18	18	18	18	18
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22	22	22	22	22	22
B2902	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	20	20	20	20	20
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	17
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	17
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	17

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PITTSBURGH, PA.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B3001	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	(1)
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	(1)
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	(1)
B3002	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16½	16½	16	16½	16	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16½	16	16	16
B3003	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16½	16½	16½	16½	16½	16

PORTLAND, OREG.

B3101	A	$0.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
B3102	A	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15½	15½	15½	15	15	15
	B (wrapped)	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	28	28	28	28	28
B3103	A	.05	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	15½	(1)	(1)	15½	15½	15½	(1)
B3104	A	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	17	17½	17½	17½	17	17
B3105	A	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	.....	.....	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16½	16	16	16	16

PROVIDENCE, R. I.

B3201	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	17	17	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	16	16	17
B3202	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	14½	14	14	14
	B	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	28	26	26	26
B3203	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15

RICHMOND, VA.

B3301	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	15½	15½
B3302	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	17	17	17	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
B3303	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16
B3304	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	15	14½
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	15	14½

[1] No quotation.

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ST. LOUIS, MO.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B3401	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	15	15	15½	15½	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	E	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	F	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	G	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	H	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B3402	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14½	14½	15	14½	14½	15
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	14½	15½	15½	15
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15	15	15½
B3403	A	.05	16	16	16	16	17	17	16	16	15½	15½	15½	15½
	B	.05	15½	15½	15½	15½	16	16	16	16	15	15	15	15

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

B3501	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	15	15
	B	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	30
B3502	A	.05	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	14½	14½	14½	15	15	15
B3503	A	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
B3504	A	.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

B3601	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
	D	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	E	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B3602	A	[2] .05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	[2] .05	16	16	16	16	16	16	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	C	[2] .05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
B3603	A	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	15	15	15
	B (wrapped)	.10	29	29	29	29	29	29	30	30	30	28	28	28

[1] No quotation.

[2] Six loaves for 25 cents.

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SCRANTON, PA.

Firm number.	Brand.	Price per loaf.	1911						1912					
			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June
			Ozs.	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*	*Ozs.*
B3701	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	16
B3702	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
B3703	A (wrapped)	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	32	32	32	(1)	(1)
	B	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30	30	30	(1)	(1)
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	(1)	(1)
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15	15	15	(1)	(1)
	E	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	36	(1)	(1)
B3704	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16

SEATTLE, WASH.

B3801	A	[2]$0.05	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
B3803	A	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	15	15	15
	B	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	15	15	15
B3804	A	[2].05	16	16	16	16	16	16	15	15	15	15	15	15

WASHINGTON, D. C.

B3901	A	$0.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	16	16	16	16
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
B3902	A	.05	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	15½
B3903	A	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	B	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
	C	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16
	D	.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16	16	16	16	16

[1] No quotation.

[2] Six loaves for 25 cents.

TABLE III.—PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND BY ARTICLES.

ATLANTA, GA.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	1.8	.....	3.6	.....	3.3	.....	3.1	.....	5.0	.....	6.6	.....
Round steak	.3	.....	2.4	.....	2.4	.....	.....	0.7	7.9	.....	8.8	.....
Rib roast	.....	1.4	.4	.....	.....	0.9	4.3	.....	16.6	.....	15.6	.....
Pork chops	.....	2.3	.7	.....	.....	3.1	7.7	.....	13.1	.....	12.4	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	6.1	.....	2.2	.....	3.1	.6	.....	.....	2.8	.....	2.8
Ham, smoked	.....	10.2	.....	6.9	.....	9.6	.....	9.6	.....	4.5	.....	8.5
Lard, pure	.....	17.0	.....	17.0	.....	17.9	.....	3.7	8.9	.....	8.9	.....
Hens	.....	.2	2.0	.....	2.5	.....	.....	3.8	.....	3.8	.....	3.8
Flour, wheat	.....	.3	.....	.3	.....	.3	.....	.3	5.5	.....	5.5	.....
Corn meal	12.6	.....	12.6	.....	12.6	.....	18.1	.....	28.4	.....	25.5	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	7.6	.....	22.4	.....	.....	6.6	.3	.....	14.4	.....	20.4	.....
Butter, creamery	10.3	.....	14.3	.....	10.9	.....	21.5	.....	26.3	.....	17.9	.....
Potatoes, Irish	49.2	.....	66.2	.....	64.7	.....	64.8	.....	38.6	.....	.....	5.3
Sugar, granulated	18.8	.....	20.5	.....	19.0	.....	10.1	.....	8.6	.....	5.5	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

BALTIMORE, MD.

Sirloin steak	7.4	.....	4.1	.....	8.4	.....	10.6	.....	20.3	.....	21.6	.....
Round steak	6.3	.....	4.0	.....	7.9	.....	4.7	.....	17.7	.....	19.0	.....
Rib roast	3.7	.....	3.7	.....	3.8	.....	1.8	.....	10.0	.....	13.5	.....
Pork chops	.....	3.8	.....	5.8	1.4	.....	12.3	.....	16.2	.....	13.6	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	14.4	.....	9.7	.....	9.7	.....	5.3	.....	5.4	.9	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	5.8	.....	5.8	.....	5.8	.....	2.2	1.8	.....	4.9	.....
Lard, pure	.....	9.0	.....	5.0	7.5	.....	14.8	.....	23.1	.....	22.4	.....
Hens	.....	5.9	.....	7.4	.....	8.5	.....	4.6	.....	4.9	.....	5.1
Flour, wheat	1.9	.....	4.0	.....	4.8	.....	8.0	.....	11.6	.....	12.3	.....
Corn meal	9.5	.....	9.5	.....	9.5	.....	5.1	.....	15.5	.....	15.5	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	9.3	.....	54.6	.....	11.2	.....	21.8	.....	7.1	.....	22.3	.....
Butter, creamery	23.7	.....	16.4	.....	15.5	.....	23.8	.....	26.8	.....	15.5	.....
Potatoes, Irish	80.3	.....	88.4	.....	101.1	.....	113.3	.....	88.5	.....	38.5	.....
Sugar, granulated	20.7	.....	20.7	.....	20.7	.....	14.6	.....	8.8	.....	10.9	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

[1] No change.

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BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	1.9	.....	3.8	.....	3.8	.....	10.9	.....	9.4	.....	13.8	.....
Round steak	.....	4.2	.1	.....	.1	.....	15.5	.....	12.0	.....	14.8	.....
Rib roast	.4	.....	2.8	.....	2.8	.....	7.4	.....	12.5	.....	13.6	.....
Pork chops	.....	1.7	.....	8.1	.....	0.8	15.3	.....	7.9	.....	11.0	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	.7	.....	.7	.....	3.0	1.3	.....	3.8	.....	4.8	.....
Ham, smoked	.4	.....	.....	2.0	.8	.....	.8	.....	1.4	.....	2.5	.....
Lard, pure	.....	8.4	.....	10.7	.....	10.7	.....	0.6	8.6	.....	11.2	.....
Hens	.....	8.5	.....	9.0	.....	3.9	.....	1.7	.....	1.5	4.2	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	2.5	.....	1.8	.....	.9	1.1	.....	9.2	.....	7.0	.....
Corn meal	10.9	.....	4.9	.....	14.8	.....	23.9	.....	26.7	.....	33.1	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	7.0	.....	14.3	.....	19.7	.....	22.0	.....	26.5	.....	10.6	.....
Butter, creamery	21.6	.....	19.5	.....	12.8	.....	21.6	.....	29.4	.....	18.4	.....
Potatoes, Irish	53.7	.....	56.8	.....	64.6	.....	62.9	.....	41.8	.....	21.6	.....
Sugar, granulated	20.0	.....	20.9	.....	22.2	.....	15.3	.....	9.8	.....	8.1	.....
Milk, fresh	.....	1.9	.....	1.9	.....	3.7	.1	.....	.1	.....	.1	.....

BOSTON, MASS.

Sirloin steak	6.5	.....	10.1	.....	4.8	.....	4.8	.....	8.9	.....	12.5	.....
Round steak	5.9	.....	9.4	.....	4.1	.....	6.4	.....	14.0	.....	17.8	.....
Rib roast	2.9	.....	7.3	.....	6.3	.....	12.9	.....	18.0	.....	27.4	.....
Pork chops	10.2	.....	4.5	.....	5.5	.....	15.9	.....	1.9	.....	5.1	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	11.5	.....	5.2	.....	9.0	.....	3.1	.9	.....	.....	1.7
Ham, smoked	.....	4.0	.....	5.0	.....	3.6	3.4	.....	1.0	.....	.5	.....
Lard, pure	.....	20.5	.....	20.3	.....	20.3	.....	6.2	3.3	.....	5.1	.....
Hens	.....	5.3	.....	.9	2.8	.....	1.7	.....	.8	.....	7.7	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	2.5	.....	1.2	1.3	.....	5.4	.....	6.8	.....	6.8	.....
Corn meal	10.9	.....	5.6	.....	5.6	.....	8.7	.....	8.7	.....	1.9	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	16.5	.....	36.2	.....	.....	3.9	11.0	.....	7.5	.....	3.7	.....
Butter, creamery	17.1	.....	35.8	.....	23.9	.....	28.9	.....	28.9	.....	20.7	.....
Potatoes, Irish	86.1	.....	94.4	.....	96.6	.....	110.1	.....	50.7	.....	37.8	.....
Sugar, granulated	17.1	.....	13.7	.....	15.6	.....	11.1	.....	6.5	.....	4.3	.....
Milk, fresh	.....	2.8	.....	2.8	.....	2.8	9.3	.....	12.5	.....	9.3	.....

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BUFFALO, N. Y.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	6.8	.....	5.2	.....	5.2	.....	7.8	.....	20.4	.....	18.4	.....
Round steak	9.3	.....	7.5	.....	7.4	.....	14.1	.....	29.4	.....	24.2	.....
Rib roast	10.0	.....	3.1	.....	3.1	.....	6.9	.....	21.8	.....	21.7	.....
Pork chops	.....	8.4	.....	11.3	.....	2.2	11.5	.....	6.8	.....	5.4	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	10.7	.....	14.4	.....	13.2	.....	4.3	.....	5.4	.....	6.3
Ham, smoked	.....	2.6	.....	4.8	.....	3.8	.....	2.6	.....	3.8	.....	3.9
Lard, pure	.....	11.3	.....	9.4	.....	5.7	9.8	.....	16.2	.....	20.7	.....
Hens	.....	2.5	.....	1.5	5.1	.....	9.7	.....	.7	.....	.....	1.2
Flour, wheat	3.6	.....	6.5	.....	6.0	.....	8.9	.....	17.4	.....	20.0	.....
Corn meal	6.8	.....	6.8	.....	6.8	.....	6.8	.....	6.8	.....	6.8	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	4.9	.....	34.9	.....	.....	1.4	5.7	.....	.....	3.1	4.4	.....
Butter, creamery	29.5	.....	18.9	.....	16.2	.....	35.9	.....	34.8	.....	17.6	.....
Potatoes, Irish	101.0	.....	104.3	.....	107.8	.....	131.6	.....	90.7	.....	48.7	.....
Sugar, granulated	12.1	.....	15.8	.....	19.9	.....	11.2	.....	8.8	.....	8.8	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

CHARLESTON, S. C.

Sirloin steak	0.5	.....	3.9	.....	6.8	.....	10.0	.....	10.2	.....	3.3	.....
Round steak	.....	8.8	.....	4.2	.....	4.2	2.2	.....	12.0	.....	5.7	.....
Rib roast	.....	3.7	.....	1.0	.....	3.5	13.0	.....	9.2	.....	4.2	.....
Pork chops	.....	8.3	.2	.....	.2	.....	25.3	.....	25.3	.....	9.1	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	5.1	.....	7.0	.....	6.4	5.9	.....	7.7	.....	8.8	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	4.9	.....	2.0	.....	.2	16.0	.....	21.7	.....	22.4	.....
Lard, pure	.....	14.6	.....	15.5	.....	7.0	.....	5.7	11.8	.....	16.3	.....
Hens	.....	5.6	.....	8.2	.....	3.3	.....	2.5	2.3	.....	2.2	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	3.3	.....	3.4	.....	1.4	.....	1.0	4.4	.....	13.2	.....
Corn meal	14.6	.....	20.1	.....	22.3	.....	25.9	.....	30.5	.....	32.8	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	8.4	.....	42.6	.....	11.4	.....	13.2	.....	16.0	.....	15.3	.....
Butter, creamery	24.2	.....	17.2	.....	16.7	.....	30.1	.....	32.7	.....	14.4	.....
Potatoes, Irish	54.7	.....	55.7	.....	65.5	.....	78.4	.....	74.4	.....	18.0	.....
Sugar, granulated	20.3	.....	18.3	.....	15.9	.....	16.0	.....	10.7	.....	10.7	.....
Milk, fresh	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	6.4	.....

[1] No change.

TABLE III.—PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND BY ARTICLES—Continued.

CHICAGO, ILL.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	3.8	.....	3.8	.....	5.0	.....	9.5	.....	15.1	.....	16.2	.....
Round steak	2.3	.....	1.6	.....	5.5	.....	7.7	.....	18.6	.....	21.1	.....
Rib roast	5.5	.....	4.9	.....	6.4	.....	8.3	.....	11.7	.....	12.2	.....
Pork chops	.....	11.0	.....	13.8	2.8	.....	13.7	.....	11.3	.....	3.5	.....
Bacon, smoked	.1	.....	.5	.....	.....	2.5	.....	0.4	2.3	.....	2.3	.....
Ham, smoked	7.8	.....	8.0	.....	7.9	.....	10.0	.....	13.2	.....	11.0	.....
Lard, pure	.....	1.3	.6	.....	1.6	.....	2.5	.....	6.3	.....	8.4	.....
Hens	4.0	.....	9.8	.....	15.8	.....	19.2	.....	19.1	.....	7.7	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	1.8	.....	2.3	.1	.....	.6	.....	5.8	.....	8.0	.....
Corn meal	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Eggs, strictly fresh	3.1	.....	33.0	.....	.....	7.6	1.9	.....	5.4	.....	5.2	.....
Butter, creamery	22.3	.....	17.0	.....	6.6	.....	15.4	.....	10.7	.....	4.7	.....
Potatoes, Irish	68.7	.....	68.6	.....	88.7	.....	101.0	.....	90.0	.....	28.2	.....
Sugar, granulated	15.8	.....	15.8	.....	13.2	.....	6.2	.....	.3	.....	.....	3.6
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

CINCINNATI, OHIO.

Sirloin steak	2.7	.....	8.2	.....	12.9	.....	16.2	.....	26.6	.....	20.9	.....
Round steak	2.2	.....	4.7	.....	3.4	.....	12.9	.....	17.8	.....	13.2	.....
Rib roast	4.4	.....	6.2	.....	5.7	.....	14.5	.....	20.0	.....	22.1	.....
Pork chops	.....	9.9	.....	7.2	1.1	.....	14.7	.....	15.6	.....	13.8	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	7.5	.....	10.0	.....	10.0	.....	10.3	.....	2.3	5.7	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	2.7	.....	4.2	.....	4.2	2.8	.....	6.8	.....	8.3	.....
Lard, pure	.....	16.5	.....	12.9	.....	9.2	.....	2.6	3.7	.....	6.0	.....
Hens	2.3	.....	5.9	.....	6.3	.....	10.1	.....	14.5	.....	10.5	.....
Flour, wheat	2.2	.....	2.2	.....	2.3	.....	3.9	.....	7.2	.....	7.2	.....
Corn meal	(1)	(1)	.....	3.3	.....	3.3	.....	3.3	4.0	.....	13.3	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	8.2	.....	54.4	.....	22.8	.....	29.7	.....	17.9	.....	21.0	.....
Butter, creamery	20.6	.....	18.4	.....	4.7	.....	24.4	.....	26.1	.....	10.2	.....
Potatoes, Irish	38.9	.....	52.4	.....	65.9	.....	52.5	.....	35.5	.....	32.3	.....
Sugar, granulated	16.6	.....	15.5	.....	12.9	.....	7.7	.....	3.6	.....	5.1	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

[1] No change.

TABLE III.—PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND BY ARTICLES—Continued.

CLEVELAND, OHIO.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	3.8	.....	4.8	.....	7.4	.....	19.9	.....	21.9	.....	23.4	.....
Round steak	5.3	.....	7.6	.....	8.8	.....	15.6	.....	27.3	.....	27.5	.....
Rib roast	5.7	.....	4.4	.....	1.8	.....	5.4	.....	17.1	.....	22.6	.....
Pork chops	.....	9.2	.....	11.7	2.0	.....	13.9	.....	17.9	.....	15.9	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	18.4	.....	21.2	.....	19.3	.....	7.8	.....	3.6	.....	1.9
Ham, smoked	.....	4.0	.....	4.9	.....	3.6	2.3	.....	8.9	.....	4.7	.....
Lard, pure	.....	13.7	.....	11.2	.....	3.8	.1	.....	10.6	.....	17.7	.....
Hens	.....	1.4	1.2	.....	7.2	.....	7.1	.....	5.8	.....	3.7	.....
Flour, wheat	6.8	.....	7.4	.....	10.0	.....	10.5	.....	16.0	.....	15.9	.....
Corn meal	(1)	(1)	2.1	.....	4.6	.....	7.2	.....	6.9	.....	6.9	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	.....	4.0	59.4	.....	19.0	.....	21.3	.....	19.6	.....	16.6	.....
Butter, creamery	22.1	.....	16.3	.....	13.2	.....	32.3	.....	26.4	.....	9.8	.....
Potatoes, Irish	94.2	.....	94.3	.....	101.9	.....	127.7	.....	98.1	.....	43.0	.....
Sugar, granulated	10.4	.....	11.4	.....	14.3	.....	7.1	.....	2.3	.....	.....	.6
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	2.6	.....	14.3	.....	14.3	.....

DALLAS, TEX.

Sirloin steak	.....	4.6	.....	4.6	.....	2.7	.....	0.3	.....	0.3	.....	7.0
Round steak	3.5	.....	3.5	.....	10.4	.....	13.5	.....	13.5	.....	4.1	.....
Rib roast	.....	3.9	.....	5.8	.....	1.1	.....	.6	5.6	.....	.....	.5
Pork chops	.7	.....	.7	.....	.7	.....	7.8	.....	.5	.....	.....	6.2
Bacon, smoked	4.7	.....	1.0	.....	.....	1.8	.....	1.8	.....	1.8	.....	1.3
Ham, smoked	.....	2.0	.....	2.0	.....	2.0	.....	2.0	.....	2.0	.....	2.0
Lard, pure	.....	6.8	.....	5.2	.....	4.0	.....	4.1	.....	7.9	6.6	.....
Hens	.....	6.1	.....	6.1	.....	8.0	.....	9.8	2.4	.....	5.4	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	2.4	.....	2.4	.....	2.4	.....	1.2	.7	.....	4.9	.....
Corn meal	6.5	.....	6.5	.....	11.2	.....	15.2	.....	15.2	.....	15.4	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	24.6	.....	15.6	.....	15.0	.....	18.9	.....	14.7	.....	25.0	.....
Butter, creamery	14.5	.....	11.6	.....	18.5	.....	18.5	.....	13.5	.....	.....	.1
Potatoes, Irish	11.9	.....	11.7	.....	10.2	.....	23.2	.....	.....	.7	.....	25.2
Sugar, granulated	28.5	.....	34.1	.....	33.6	.....	30.0	.....	21.8	.....	14.9	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

[1] No change.

TABLE III.—PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND BY ARTICLES—Continued.

DENVER, COLO.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	.....	7.7	.....	1.2	1.2	.....	7.1	.....	8.6	.....	11.0	.....
Round steak	.....	7.8	.....	5.3	.....	1.1	8.5	.....	14.3	.....	22.9	.....
Rib roast	.....	.2	4.5	.....	.....	1.1	6.8	.....	14.5	.....	24.4	.....
Pork chops	.....	2.2	2.0	.....	9.8	.....	27.8	.....	25.5	.....	9.6	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	7.3	.....	9.6	.....	9.6	.....	2.3	.....	6.5	.....	6.5
Ham, smoked	.....	5.2	.....	5.2	.....	5.2	.8	.....	.....	3.2	.3	.....
Lard, pure	.....	11.9	.....	8.6	.....	8.6	.....	3.5	11.6	.....	11.6	.....
Hens	.....	10.0	.....	4.7	3.9	.....	4.0	.....	7.3	.....	4.4	.....
Flour, wheat	(1)	(1)	7.7	.....	7.7	.....	11.9	.....	17.5	.....	12.1	.....
Corn meal	.....	1.4	.....	1.4	2.5	.....	2.5	.....	12.6	.....	8.6	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	51.9	.....	14.2	.....	.1	.....	1.8	.....	5.1	.....	5.1	.....
Butter, creamery	17.5	.....	12.2	.....	.2	.....	14.8	.....	18.6	.....	17.1	.....
Potatoes, Irish	43.2	.....	39.3	.....	53.0	.....	51.8	.....	12.0	.....	.....	13.6
Sugar, granulated	15.1	.....	15.9	.....	14.6	.....	11.5	.....	10.4	.....	11.5	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

DETROIT, MICH.

Sirloin steak	.....	5.5	.....	6.5	.....	1.7	.....	0.2	9.7	.....	13.0	.....
Round steak	(1)	(1)	.....	1.2	0.5	.....	10.5	.....	14.2	.....	17.8	.....
Rib roast	.....	4.2	.....	4.2	.....	3.2	4.0	.....	11.8	.....	15.9	.....
Pork chops	.....	6.6	.....	2.4	2.6	.....	10.8	.....	7.9	.....	11.9	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	6.0	.....	5.1	1.5	.....	2.3	.....	6.3	.....	7.2	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	1.8	.....	1.4	1.8	.....	3.7	.....	8.7	.....	9.1	.....
Lard, pure	.....	8.7	.....	7.6	.....	3.5	3.7	.....	8.9	.....	11.3	.....
Hens	7.0	.....	10.3	.....	9.0	.....	11.4	.....	15.0	.....	16.9	.....
Flour, wheat	1.8	.....	1.8	.....	3.0	.....	6.2	.....	14.3	.....	14.3	.....
Corn meal	4.7	.....	4.7	.....	2.9	.....	2.9	.....	2.9	.....	2.9	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	12.3	.....	64.5	.....	11.6	.....	22.7	.....	9.0	.....	7.7	.....
Butter, creamery	17.9	.....	24.4	.....	14.1	.....	23.5	.....	23.7	.....	12.1	.....
Potatoes, Irish	100.2	.....	112.5	.....	137.0	.....	121.9	.....	112.5	.....	76.2	.....
Sugar, granulated	13.9	.....	18.4	.....	17.5	.....	17.1	.....	11.7	.....	7.7	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	11.1	.....	14.2	.....	14.2	.....

[1] No change.

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FALL RIVER, MASS.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	1.8	.....	1.5	.....	2.8	.....	6.7	.....	18.6	.....	21.3	.....
Round steak	2.8	.....	4.1	.....	7.5	.....	11.9	.....	25.2	.....	30.4	.....
Rib roast	.....	2.4	.....	2.2	3.9	.....	8.9	.....	21.1	.....	22.8	.....
Pork chops	.3	.....	.....	2.8	1.2	.....	15.1	.....	17.0	.....	14.0	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	6.7	.....	7.9	.....	10.5	.....	5.7	.....	3.2	.....	3.2
Ham, smoked	1.2	.....	1.2	.....	3.2	.....	4.4	.....	4.5	.....	2.9	.....
Lard, pure	.....	11.1	.....	9.8	.....	5.2	6.8	.....	16.9	.....	24.5	.....
Hens	2.6	.....	3.9	.....	1.6	.....	1.8	.....	1.0	.....	4.7	.....
Flour, wheat	2.5	.....	3.7	.....	7.1	.....	7.2	.....	10.3	.....	10.3	.....
Corn meal	.....	5.9	.....	5.9	.....	2.7	.....	2.7	.....	1.2	.....	1.2
Eggs, strictly fresh	3.8	.....	26.0	.....	.....	17.6	5.4	.....	14.4	.....	6.7	.....
Butter, creamery	13.7	.....	23.2	.....	26.5	.....	42.9	.....	38.2	.....	25.7	.....
Potatoes, Irish	80.0	.....	86.5	.....	83.0	.....	85.4	.....	85.2	.....	6.3	.....
Sugar, granulated	5.4	.....	6.8	.....	6.8	.....	.....	.6	.....	2.5	.....	4.3
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	6.7	.....	14.3	.....	14.3	.....

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

Sirloin steak	.....	0.1	.....	3.1	0.1	.....	6.4	.....	14.7	.....	18.7	.....
Round steak	5.2	.....	2.8	.....	.9	.....	5.8	.....	12.2	.....	18.2	.....
Rib roast	.....	2.3	.....	3.0	.....	5.6	.....	1.1	10.8	.....	15.2	.....
Pork chops	.....	.8	.....	6.9	1.7	.....	13.3	.....	12.6	.....	14.0	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	12.3	.....	9.4	.....	8.7	.....	5.8	.....	4.4	4.4	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	5.8	.....	1.0	2.3	.....	2.5	.....	8.6	.....	.7	.....
Lard, pure	.....	22.0	.....	17.9	.....	7.5	.....	2.1	3.1	.....	7.5	.....
Hens	2.4	.....	4.5	.....	8.0	.....	6.2	.....	8.1	.....	9.7	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	2.1	.....	2.1	1.3	.....	2.8	.....	9.0	.....	12.7	.....
Corn meal	.8	.....	5.0	.....	5.0	.....	5.0	.....	5.0	.....	2.3	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	10.8	.....	31.2	.....	.....	.5	9.4	.....	9.6	.....	18.5	.....
Butter, creamery	23.9	.....	22.3	.....	10.1	.....	32.1	.....	31.7	.....	17.1	.....
Potatoes, Irish	71.3	.....	67.8	.....	78.5	.....	101.5	.....	90.9	.....	6.9	.....
Sugar, granulated	21.7	.....	22.5	.....	17.8	.....	15.4	.....	17.2	.....	18.1	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

[1] No change.

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JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	4.2	.....	4.2	.....	.....	0.1	9.4	.....	16.6	.....	28.2	.....
Round steak	.....	1.1	.3	.....	.....	.4	1.0	.....	1.0	.....	11.2	.....
Rib roast	6.9	.....	6.9	.....	6.9	.....	11.1	.....	8.2	.....	15.1	.....
Pork chops	.....	23.4	.....	22.4	.....	17.9	.....	8.6	4.7	.....	9.0	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	4.1	.....	2.4	.....	2.4	5.1	.....	3.7	.....	3.7	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	4.9	.....	6.5	.....	7.2	.....	3.8	.....	2.8	.....	2.8
Lard, pure	.....	4.2	.....	5.9	.....	2.5	.....	2.5	3.0	.....	4.9	.....
Hens	.....	3.0	(1)	(1)	.....	2.7	3.4	.....	.....	3.5	4.6	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	.3	.....	.3	.....	.3	.....	.3	6.6	.....	6.6	.....
Corn meal	6.5	.....	6.5	.....	6.5	.....	23.6	.....	23.6	.....	23.6	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	12.3	.....	7.9	.....	.....	5.5	1.3	.....	16.8	.....	3.5	.....
Butter, creamery	22.1	.....	14.8	.....	13.6	.....	24.2	.....	22.4	.....	15.7	.....
Potatoes, Irish	63.4	.....	68.5	.....	68.5	.....	98.9	.....	63.5	.....	46.0	.....
Sugar, granulated	21.5	.....	19.2	.....	19.2	.....	15.5	.....	13.4	.....	13.4	.....
Milk, fresh	.....	1.0	.....	.2	.....	1.0	.....	4.3	.....	5.1	.....	.1

KANSAS CITY, MO.

Sirloin steak	3.5	.....	1.5	.....	4.0	.....	12.2	.....	19.6	.....	21.6	.....
Round steak	2.5	.....	.6	.....	1.3	.....	17.6	.....	19.8	.....	23.1	.....
Rib roast	.....	3.6	.....	4.5	.4	.....	4.9	.....	10.3	.....	15.6	.....
Pork chops	.....	1.9	.....	6.4	13.5	.....	32.2	.....	29.2	.....	23.4	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	8.0	.....	8.0	.....	9.1	.....	4.9	.....	4.9	.....	6.0
Ham, smoked	.....	.9	1.3	.....	7.4	.....	12.5	.....	14.1	.....	4.9	.....
Lard, pure	.....	7.4	.....	9.3	.....	2.1	4.9	.....	8.4	.....	9.0	.....
Hens	.....	4.9	.....	3.4	2.9	.....	5.5	.....	2.9	.....	3.1	.....
Flour, wheat	1.1	.....	1.1	.....	2.1	.....	3.2	.....	5.8	.....	7.0	.....
Corn meal	6.1	.....	2.1	.....	.....	1.8	10.1	.....	16.3	.....	17.2	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	25.8	.....	18.0	.....	16.4	.....	27.1	.....	19.6	.....	14.5	.....
Butter, creamery	34.5	.....	17.7	.....	13.5	.....	30.9	.....	22.0	.....	14.0	.....
Potatoes, Irish	49.6	.....	52.6	.....	39.6	.....	69.0	.....	51.9	.....	.....	6.6
Sugar, granulated	8.3	.....	7.1	.....	6.2	.....	2.2	.....	2.7	.....	2.7	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	4.2	.....	.....	3.9

[1] No change.

TABLE III.—PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND BY ARTICLES—Continued.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	3.0	.....	0.3	.....	0.5	.....	4.9	.....	10.1	.....	10.1	.....
Round steak	7.3	.....	6.6	.....	7.3	.....	3.5	.....	9.4	.....	8.6	.....
Rib roast	4.6	.....	3.4	.....	3.9	.....	.4	.....	6.6	.....	3.9	.....
Pork chops	6.4	.....	.....	6.8	.....	3.4	1.8	.....	4.1	.....	.....	2.4
Bacon, smoked	.7	.....	.7	.....	.7	.....	4.1	.....	5.3	.....	5.3	.....
Ham, smoked	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	.6	.....	4.6	.....	.2	.....
Lard, pure	.....	2.5	.....	3.3	.....	1.8	.....	0.7	10.2	.....	15.3	.....
Hens	.....	6.7	.....	3.9	.....	6.3	.....	1.5	4.4	.....	.7	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	4.3	.....	4.3	.....	4.3	.....	4.3	3.3	.....	4.7	.....
Corn meal	9.6	.....	9.6	.....	11.8	.....	11.8	.....	18.5	.....	17.6	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	36.2	.....	9.4	.....	10.1	.....	6.5	.....	6.5	.....	.....	10.5
Butter, creamery	14.9	.....	7.9	.....	5.7	.....	14.5	.....	17.6	.....	13.7	.....
Potatoes, Irish	39.4	.....	41.2	.....	50.0	.....	68.8	.....	40.7	.....	.....	9.4
Sugar, granulated	16.7	.....	17.1	.....	17.9	.....	12.1	.....	10.2	.....	5.3	.....
Milk, fresh	.....	3.5	.6	.....	.6	.....	.6	.....	12.3	.....	12.3	.....

LOS ANGELES, CAL.

Sirloin steak	2.3	.....	5.4	.....	9.9	.....	10.9	.....	13.3	.....	9.5	.....
Round steak	4.0	.....	6.0	.....	8.6	.....	11.8	.....	16.7	.....	16.7	.....
Rib roast	.....	3.7	.9	.....	6.2	.....	6.6	.....	7.1	.....	7.1	.....
Pork chops	.....	.6	.....	0.6	1.4	.....	3.0	.....	7.3	.....	7.3	.....
Bacon, smoked	.5	.....	.....	1.4	.....	1.1	.7	.....	2.6	.....	2.6	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	2.0	.....	3.7	.....	3.7	.2	.....	2.6	.....	2.6	.....
Lard, pure	1.0	.....	1.6	.....	1.6	.....	6.7	.....	8.9	.....	14.6	.....
Hens	.....	2.7	.....	1.7	.....	.6	.....	0.1	1.6	.....	.....	3.0
Flour, wheat	.....	.8	1.6	.....	5.1	.....	7.7	.....	7.1	.....	6.6	.....
Corn meal	10.7	.....	10.7	.....	10.7	.....	16.4	.....	17.2	.....	20.8	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	.....	3.2	.....	15.9	.....	2.8	1.1	.....	3.0	.....	4.2	.....
Butter, creamery	3.7	.....	11.2	.....	11.6	.....	13.6	.....	12.3	.....	13.7	.....
Potatoes, Irish	.....	15.8	.....	6.2	2.8	.....	8.0	.....	.....	19.8	.....	37.7
Sugar, granulated	14.8	.....	22.4	.....	21.5	.....	17.5	.....	13.8	.....	5.8	.....
Milk, fresh	15.7	.....	13.1	.....	13.1	.....	13.1	.....	13.1	.....	13.1	.....

[1] No change.

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LOUISVILLE, KY.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	2.5	.....	3.3	.....	3.6	.....	6.5	.....	19.6	.....	19.6	.....
Round steak	3.3	.....	3.3	.....	3.3	.....	4.0	.....	12.1	.....	12.6	.....
Rib roast	4.3	.....	1.2	.....	7.9	.....	12.4	.....	12.1	.....	13.6	.....
Pork chops	.....	19.6	.....	23.0	.....	19.0	.....	5.3	.5	.....	.....	6.5
Bacon, smoked	.....	15.2	.....	21.0	.....	18.9	.....	12.4	.....	17.1	.....	18.6
Ham, smoked	.....	6.6	.....	7.8	.....	7.8	2.5	.....	.....	1.4	.....	1.4
Lard, pure	.....	20.6	.....	16.2	.....	14.6	.....	4.5	12.4	.....	17.9	.....
Hens	.....	8.3	.....	13.0	3.4	.....	2.8	.....	5.6	.....	5.5	.....
Flour, wheat	2.9	.....	4.0	.....	5.1	.....	10.3	.....	24.9	.....	23.5	.....
Corn meal	4.6	.....	4.6	.....	4.6	.....	20.3	.....	24.3	.....	23.7	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	2.9	.....	26.3	.....	8.3	.....	20.2	.....	16.7	.....	20.9	.....
Butter, creamery	15.8	.....	2.8	.....	2.2	.....	18.0	.....	18.4	.....	14.3	.....
Potatoes, Irish	66.5	.....	75.6	.....	113.8	.....	116.8	.....	63.2	.....	27.0	.....
Sugar, granulated	14.2	.....	13.1	.....	14.8	.....	10.0	.....	3.0	.....	.....	.6
Milk, fresh	.....	1.8	.....	1.8	.....	1.8	.....	1.8	.....	1.8	.....	1.8

MANCHESTER, N. H.

Sirloin steak	4.8	.....	7.2	.....	5.9	.....	6.4	.....	19.4	.....	20.5	.....
Round steak	2.0	.....	2.0	.....	5.9	.....	12.2	.....	28.9	.....	33.5	.....
Rib roast	4.5	.....	8.6	.....	12.6	.....	11.5	.....	19.8	.....	22.4	.....
Pork chops	.....	0.7	.....	7.1	.....	3.7	6.7	.....	8.7	.....	7.0	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	16.2	.....	14.2	.....	7.6	.....	6.7	.....	3.7	.....	6.8
Ham, smoked	5.9	.....	.3	.....	.3	.....	2.8	.....	12.8	.....	10.0	.....
Lard, pure	.....	12.2	.....	15.9	.....	14.6	.....	5.7	.....	.4	3.5	.....
Hens	5.0	.....	5.4	.....	9.2	.....	10.6	.....	6.8	.....	2.0	.....
Flour, wheat	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	2.4	.....	2.6	.....	4.5	.....	8.3	.....
Corn meal	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	6.2	.....	6.2	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	35.1	.....	74.5	.....	29.7	.....	28.1	.....	38.2	.....	43.8	.....
Butter, creamery	24.2	.....	34.6	.....	27.3	.....	37.4	.....	40.6	.....	31.7	.....
Potatoes, Irish	82.1	.....	98.0	.....	104.0	.....	115.6	.....	85.2	.....	45.1	.....
Sugar, granulated	12.3	.....	11.6	.....	13.1	.....	9.7	.....	9.7	.....	7.5	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

[1] No change.

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MEMPHIS, TENN.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	14.5	.....	21.1	.....	19.6	.....
Round steak	2.2	.....	4.5	.....	4.5	.....	12.0	.....	21.3	.....	18.2	.....
Rib roast	5.8	.....	5.8	.....	5.8	.....	15.8	.....	22.4	.....	22.4	.....
Pork chops	.....	8.6	.....	11.3	.....	11.3	.....	1.1	10.3	.....	6.8	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	11.2	.....	11.8	.....	10.3	.....	3.9	.....	1.1	1.0	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	2.3	.....	1.3	.....	.1	.....	1.9	3.8	.....	.....	3.1
Lard, pure	.....	10.7	.....	8.9	.....	5.7	1.8	.....	10.3	.....	11.4	.....
Hens	.....	9.9	.....	11.5	.....	7.5	.....	8.7	.....	9.5	.....	7.5
Flour, wheat	.....	.2	.5	.....	.....	.2	1.6	.....	6.6	.....	10.8	.....
Corn meal	7.5	.....	4.9	.....	6.4	.....	16.4	.....	16.3	.....	13.5	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	.9	.....	12.4	.....	.....	4.9	.....	.6	.7	.....	8.9	.....
Butter, creamery	20.9	.....	21.9	.....	8.4	.....	15.4	.....	23.9	.....	18.2	.....
Potatoes, Irish	39.5	.....	56.6	.....	60.1	.....	83.4	.....	68.3	.....	15.3	.....
Sugar, granulated	10.6	.....	13.6	.....	12.5	.....	7.1	.....	4.5	.....	2.5	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

MILWAUKEE, WIS.

Sirloin steak	4.3	.....	2.1	.....	3.4	.....	7.8	.....	9.1	.....	11.2	.....
Round steak	6.2	.....	3.1	.....	1.6	.....	7.9	.....	17.8	.....	21.4	.....
Rib roast	6.3	.....	7.2	.....	10.0	.....	7.6	.....	16.9	.....	16.9	.....
Pork chops	.....	13.9	.....	17.4	.....	8.4	.....	3.6	9.1	.....	9.3	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	4.6	.....	4.6	.....	1.6	.....	1.6	.....	8.3	.....	7.1
Ham, smoked	.....	4.1	.....	4.1	.....	2.1	1.0	.....	.....	6.6	.....	8.8
Lard, pure	.....	13.4	.....	12.3	.....	6.5	.....	4.0	5.6	.....	6.4	.....
Hens	.....	.6	.....	.6	7.2	.....	13.8	.....	9.9	.....	8.1	.....
Flour, wheat	3.7	.....	3.7	.....	6.2	.....	7.5	.....	14.4	.....	14.4	.....
Corn meal	5.8	.....	12.9	.....	5.8	.....	5.8	.....	5.8	.....	9.2	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Butter, creamery	22.5	.....	20.1	.....	10.1	.....	39.7	.....	29.9	.....	10.9	.....
Potatoes, Irish	67.3	.....	85.5	.....	96.9	.....	128.0	.....	87.2	.....	35.7	.....
Sugar, granulated	18.2	.....	22.1	.....	19.9	.....	20.6	.....	10.3	.....	6.5	.....
Milk, fresh	.....	14.3	.....	14.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

[1] No change. [2] No quotation.

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MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	.....	0.2	3.8	.....	5.7	.....	5.7	.....	4.7	.....	7.1	.....
Round steak	1.8	.....	2.9	.....	2.9	.....	12.4	.....	12.2	.....	14.5	.....
Rib roast	6.1	.....	6.1	.....	6.1	.....	2.5	.....	11.4	.....	13.7	.....
Pork chops	.....	9.2	.....	3.3	.3	.....	7.0	.....	10.5	.....	15.8	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	1.1	.5	.....	1.1	.....	5.4	.....	5.4	.....	5.4	.....
Ham, smoked	.1	.....	.1	.....	3.3	.....	.8	.....	3.1	.....	.....	0.6
Lard, pure	.....	7.5	.....	7.5	.....	4.1	.1	.....	5.6	.....	5.6	.....
Hens	.....	.7	.....	.5	5.3	.....	1.9	.....	4.6	.....	12.3	.....
Flour, wheat	2.5	.....	10.4	.....	12.2	.....	13.9	.....	19.7	.....	18.3	.....
Corn meal	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	6.6	.....	8.2	.....	9.0	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	10.0	.....	29.1	.....	15.9	.....	5.5	.....	.....	2.3	.....	4.4
Butter, creamery	24.0	.....	26.7	.....	24.4	.....	35.3	.....	33.8	.....	13.1	.....
Potatoes, Irish	37.9	.....	48.5	.....	72.3	.....	101.8	.....	76.7	.....	.9	.....
Sugar, granulated	12.1	.....	37.7	.....	23.8	.....	13.6	.....	10.0	.....	3.4	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	16.7	.....	16.7	.....	16.7	.....	16.7	.....

NEWARK, N. J.

Sirloin steak	8.6	.....	8.6	.....	8.5	.....	16.6	.....	17.1	.....	17.5	.....
Round steak	8.2	.....	8.2	.....	8.2	.....	14.5	.....	16.0	.....	20.6	.....
Rib roast	13.9	.....	13.9	.....	18.5	.....	19.3	.....	20.9	.....	24.1	.....
Pork chops	.....	3.3	.....	4.6	.....	2.2	15.6	.....	24.2	.....	22.8	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	14.8	.....	15.1	.....	9.3	1.0	.....	.8	.....	7.6	.....
Ham, smoked	.8	.....	.....	.5	.....	.5	3.7	.....	2.6	.....	6.8	.....
Lard, pure	.....	15.0	.....	12.9	.....	10.2	1.9	.....	4.7	.....	7.4	.....
Hens	6.4	.....	4.5	.....	3.1	.....	2.0	.....	2.5	.....	5.1	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	2.1	3.5	.....	2.1	.....	5.5	.....	4.0	.....	5.2	.....
Corn meal	8.3	.....	8.3	.....	8.3	.....	8.3	.....	8.3	.....	8.3	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	3.2	.....	43.0	.....	5.5	.....	8.3	.....	11.2	.....	11.6	.....
Butter, creamery	29.7	.....	23.0	.....	15.6	.....	33.4	.....	38.3	.....	17.7	.....
Potatoes, Irish	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Sugar, granulated	17.8	.....	14.1	.....	16.3	.....	10.1	.....	6.1	.....	6.0	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

[1] No change. [2] No quotation.

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NEW HAVEN, CONN.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	8.0	.....	8.0	.....	5.8	.....	6.6	.....	13.4	.....	20.3	.....
Round steak	.1	.....	2.3	.....	1.8	.....	3.7	.....	14.7	.....	18.5	.....
Rib roast	5.6	.....	8.2	.....	5.3	.....	2.4	.....	13.0	.....	24.0	.....
Pork chops	.....	6.2	.....	8.8	.1	.....	12.2	.....	9.4	.....	15.9	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	12.5	.....	12.4	.....	14.6	.....	11.8	.....	2.8	.....	2.1
Ham, smoked	.....	5.4	.....	3.4	.....	8.8	.....	5.2	1.1	.....	2.6	.....
Lard, pure	.....	16.2	.....	15.3	.....	8.3	.7	.....	12.9	.....	14.7	.....
Hens	2.5	.....	6.6	.....	8.4	.....	6.9	.....	4.9	.....	11.9	.....
Flour, wheat	3.0	.....	5.8	.....	5.4	.....	8.7	.....	12.1	.....	11.7	.....
Corn meal	3.7	.....	3.7	.....	3.7	.....	.2	.....	.2	.....	6.9	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	.....	6.6	18.7	.....	2.4	.....	12.1	.....	16.2	.....	4.8	.....
Butter, creamery	18.4	.....	22.3	.....	26.3	.....	31.0	.....	42.8	.....	23.1	.....
Potatoes, Irish	64.1	.....	77.7	.....	88.4	.....	96.1	.....	80.5	.....	23.5	.....
Sugar, granulated	12.9	.....	10.4	.....	8.8	.....	6.1	.....	4.0	.....	1.1	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	3.8	.....	3.8	.....

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Sirloin steak	.....	1.1	1.1	.....	3.3	.....	10.4	.....	17.3	.....	23.9	.....
Round steak	(1)	(1)	4.0	.....	8.2	.....	12.5	.....	25.6	.....	28.3	.....
Rib roast	.....	7.0	.4	.....	2.6	.....	6.1	.....	10.3	.....	19.6	.....
Pork chops	.....	1.9	2.7	.....	3.2	.....	6.7	.....	9.6	.....	7.7	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	10.2	.....	8.1	.....	8.0	.....	7.4	.....	2.7	.....	3.0
Ham, smoked	.....	7.7	.....	8.2	.....	6.9	.....	4.1	2.3	.....	.....	.7
Lard, pure	.....	12.6	.....	11.1	.....	9.6	.....	6.8	5.8	.....	11.0	.....
Hens	.....	5.9	.....	5.7	9.9	.....	.....	4.4	.3	.....	.....	3.0
Flour, wheat	1.4	.....	1.4	.....	6.1	.....	9.9	.....	12.9	.....	15.0	.....
Corn meal	18.2	.....	18.2	.....	19.3	.....	19.5	.....	27.8	.....	27.8	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	10.6	.....	15.3	.....	4.8	.....	.....	2.9	5.4	.....	14.8	.....
Butter, creamery	24.2	.....	14.0	.....	13.6	.....	26.6	.....	28.0	.....	9.5	.....
Potatoes, Irish	56.3	.....	51.9	.....	45.9	.....	63.6	.....	31.7	.....	11.1	.....
Sugar, granulated	24.0	.....	16.7	.....	21.8	.....	15.2	.....	8.7	.....	7.3	.....
Milk, fresh	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0

[1] No change.

TABLE III.—PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND BY ARTICLES—Continued.

NEW YORK, N. Y.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	4.4	.....	3.9	.....	7.0	.....	11.0	.....	18.4	.....	18.4	.....
Round steak	7.3	.....	5.9	.....	6.1	.....	11.1	.....	19.0	.....	21.9	.....
Rib roast	4.2	.....	5.3	.....	5.8	.....	10.2	.....	19.9	.....	22.6	.....
Pork chops	.....	0.9	.....	2.7	3.2	.....	15.4	.....	17.6	.....	21.6	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	13.8	.....	12.2	.....	11.3	.....	5.3	.2	.....	.....	0.7
Ham, smoked	.9	.....	1.0	.....	2.4	.....	5.3	.....	8.2	.....	7.9	.....
Lard, pure	.....	15.0	.....	11.0	.....	7.5	3.2	.....	8.9	.....	9.9	.....
Hens	5.3	.....	4.8	.....	6.2	.....	5.3	.....	7.9	.....	9.2	.....
Flour, wheat	(1)	(1)	2.6	.....	2.5	.....	3.6	.....	7.5	.....	6.7	.....
Corn meal	.....	1.4	2.2	.....	2.6	.....	2.6	.....	2.6	.....	4.4	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	14.1	.....	55.7	.....	12.3	.....	7.6	.....	15.8	.....	9.1	.....
Butter, creamery	30.4	.....	14.3	.....	14.1	.....	34.7	.....	24.6	.....	9.5	.....
Potatoes, Irish	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Sugar, granulated	12.3	.....	8.9	.....	10.8	.....	6.8	.....	5.6	.....	4.2	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

OMAHA, NEBR.

Sirloin steak	4.8	.....	7.9	.....	15.9	.....	28.3	.....	41.3	.....	40.7	.....
Round steak	.....	5.9	.....	2.3	5.2	.....	19.8	.....	28.0	.....	29.4	.....
Rib roast	5.1	.....	4.1	.....	4.5	.....	23.1	.....	22.0	.....	30.1	.....
Pork chops	1.1	.....	.....	8.2	3.8	.....	21.7	.....	25.4	.....	22.4	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	14.2	.....	13.9	.....	16.5	.....	11.3	.....	0.6	1.3	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	11.1	.....	11.1	.....	7.3	.1	.....	3.3	.....	11.5	.....
Lard, pure	.....	2.6	.....	2.9	.2	.....	9.9	.....	18.0	.....	18.0	.....
Hens	9.4	.....	10.7	.....	11.9	.....	14.2	.....	13.0	.....	15.9	.....
Flour, wheat	2.6	.....	4.9	.....	4.9	.....	7.3	.....	11.5	.....	13.4	.....
Corn meal	7.3	.....	10.3	.....	11.6	.....	5.5	.....	9.4	.....	9.4	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	16.3	.....	29.9	.....	8.7	.....	13.0	.....	15.9	.....	9.2	.....
Butter, creamery	23.2	.....	20.0	.....	19.0	.....	32.6	.....	19.8	.....	9.5	.....
Potatoes, Irish	32.3	.....	42.8	.....	62.4	.....	67.0	.....	39.8	.....	.....	13.5
Sugar, granulated	15.1	.....	16.6	.....	22.2	.....	17.6	.....	15.0	.....	6.9	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	8.2	.....	2.5	.....

[1] No change. [2] No quotation.

TABLE III.—PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND BY ARTICLES—Continued.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	7.1	.....	5.4	.....	5.0	.....	10.9	.....	23.2	.....	20.8	.....
Round steak	7.9	.....	5.2	.....	6.1	.....	10.8	.....	23.0	.....	22.3	.....
Rib roast	1.4	.....	2.7	.....	1.6	.....	6.4	.....	18.8	.....	21.4	.....
Pork chops	.....	0.1	.....	9.2	.....	3.5	21.8	.....	27.9	.....	28.5	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	12.9	.....	11.8	.....	9.8	2.2	.....	4.1	.....	6.2	.....
Ham, smoked	1.0	.....	3.8	.....	4.1	.....	11.8	.....	10.2	.....	6.2	.....
Lard, pure	.....	17.5	.....	12.8	.....	5.4	6.3	.....	8.1	.....	9.3	.....
Hens	.....	3.4	.....	1.3	4.6	.....	2.7	.....	2.5	.....	5.0	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	2.3	.....	1.1	2.2	.....	3.3	.....	7.0	.....	7.3	.....
Corn meal	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Eggs, strictly fresh	5.9	.....	35.9	.....	17.1	.....	17.8	.....	12.8	.....	14.9	.....
Butter, creamery	21.8	.....	16.5	.....	11.3	.....	32.0	.....	31.3	.....	16.1	.....
Potatoes, Irish	55.2	.....	62.3	.....	62.6	.....	82.5	.....	59.3	.....	27.6	.....
Sugar, granulated	15.5	.....	13.5	.....	15.6	.....	10.5	.....	6.4	.....	3.4	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

PITTSBURGH, PA.

Sirloin steak	8.3	.....	7.0	.....	8.3	.....	12.9	.....	22.6	.....	29.6	.....
Round steak	2.1	.....	.....	0.7	2.4	.....	5.3	.....	10.0	.....	26.6	.....
Rib roast	.1	.....	.....	2.2	.3	.....	4.4	.....	15.1	.....	17.9	.....
Pork chops	.....	0.6	.....	8.1	2.9	.....	11.4	.....	17.7	.....	9.3	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	9.8	.....	9.8	.....	9.8	.....	3.5	5.1	.....	1.3	.....
Ham, smoked	11.0	.....	11.0	.....	11.0	.....	14.3	.....	16.8	.....	15.2	.....
Lard, pure	.....	20.4	.....	19.3	.....	14.1	.....	8.5	.....	4.1	9.6	.....
Hens	11.5	.....	11.5	.....	12.6	.....	12.8	.....	4.7	.....	.....	2.7
Flour, wheat	.4	.....	.7	.....	4.1	.....	8.0	.....	10.0	.....	10.0	.....
Corn meal	9.9	.....	9.9	.....	9.9	.....	9.9	.....	9.9	.....	9.9	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	3.4	.....	17.2	.....	.....	19.6	.....	6.3	.....	6.5	.....	5.3
Butter, creamery	16.4	.....	18.6	.....	7.9	.....	19.3	.....	18.5	.....	9.0	.....
Potatoes, Irish	36.4	.....	57.7	.....	63.6	.....	103.0	.....	78.1	.....	21.4	.....
Sugar, granulated	15.5	.....	14.2	.....	15.6	.....	12.5	.....	5.9	.....	1.0	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	2.5	.....	.3	.....	.3	.....

[1] No change.

TABLE III.—PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND BY ARTICLES—Continued.

PORTLAND, OREG.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cen..*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	0.5	.....	.....	1.0	0.6	.....	0.6	.....	7.9	.....	8.3	.....
Round steak	.6	.....	.....	1.0	.....	4.5	.6	.....	3.8	.....	4.8	.....
Rib roast	(1)	(1)	.....	.8	.....	2.9	.....	3.4	1.3	.....	3.2	.....
Pork chops	.....	7.7	.....	12.3	.....	6.0	.....	6.6	.....	1.1	.....	2.6
Bacon, smoked	.....	8.0	.....	11.1	.....	8.9	.....	9.4	.....	4.9	.....	1.9
Ham, smoked	.....	3.4	.....	2.5	.1	.....	7.0	.....	3.3	.....	5.4	.....
Lard, pure	.....	9.8	.....	9.8	.....	4.6	.....	1.1	1.9	.....	4.7	.....
Hens	.....	14.4	.....	18.9	.....	12.7	.....	.8	.....	10.4	.....	16.4
Flour, wheat	.....	7.1	.....	6.6	.....	3.3	2.9	.....	5.2	.....	5.2	.....
Corn meal	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	3.2	.....	.7	.....	14.3	.....	11.9	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	.....	3.9	.....	25.3	.....	5.7	.....	1.9	2.7	.....	.....	1.7
Butter, creamery	(1)	(1)	5.3	.....	6.5	.....	6.2	.....	2.0	.....	6.7	.....
Potatoes, Irish	.....	13.7	.....	9.3	6.5	.....	11.3	.....	.....	27.0	.....	38.4
Sugar, granulated	10.3	.....	10.3	.....	11.5	.....	5.2	.....	2.4	.....	1.1	.....
Milk, fresh	1.7	.....	1.7	.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	.....	2.0	.....	2.0

PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Sirloin steak	3.9	.....	4.2	.....	6.6	.....	12.5	.....	20.8	.....	25.0	.....
Round steak	9.8	.....	9.7	.....	10.9	.....	12.8	.....	24.0	.....	31.9	.....
Rib roast	7.5	.....	7.8	.....	11.1	.....	19.7	.....	25.8	.....	34.8	.....
Pork chops	15.9	.....	5.2	.....	9.3	.....	15.9	.....	14.7	.....	13.8	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	7.0	.....	7.9	.....	8.2	.....	3.8	.....	0.7	.....	3.7
Ham, smoked	.....	10.8	.....	11.7	.....	10.6	.....	7.8	.....	.5	.....	2.6
Lard, pure	.....	20.9	.....	17.0	.....	13.1	.....	.9	7.2	.....	11.2	.....
Hens	6.4	.....	1.0	.....	1.5	.....	7.2	.....	10.4	.....	9.6	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	2.2	.....	1.2	.2	.....	3.1	.....	8.1	.....	7.3	.....
Corn meal	15.6	.....	15.6	.....	15.6	.....	18.8	.....	30.8	.....	30.8	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	.....	2.8	28.1	.....	.....	11.8	1.7	.....	14.4	.....	10.9	.....
Butter, creamery	18.1	.....	19.3	.....	12.2	.....	28.9	.....	27.8	.....	20.3	.....
Potatoes, Irish	48.5	.....	61.7	.....	76.9	.....	74.3	.....	51.1	.....	.....	1.1
Sugar, granulated	10.8	.....	12.5	.....	17.0	.....	8.4	.....	7.0	.....	7.0	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

[1] No change.

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RICHMOND, VA.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	.....	2.3	.....	0.5	0.3	.....	0.3	.....	23.1	.....	20.4	.....
Round steak	.....	1.0	0.2	.....	.....	1.0	.3	.....	18.4	.....	17.0	.....
Rib roast	0.2	.....	.2	.....	.2	.....	1.6	.....	14.2	.....	15.2	.....
Pork chops	.....	3.1	.....	5.8	.9	.....	19.3	.....	19.3	.....	22.2	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	18.9	.....	18.9	.....	17.0	.....	11.3	.....	3.3	.....	7.2
Ham, smoked	.....	11.2	.....	11.2	.....	7.4	.....	4.3	4.2	.....	1.2	.....
Lard, pure	.....	10.2	.....	10.3	.....	4.4	4.0	.....	9.0	.....	5.3	.....
Hens	.....	12.5	.....	9.6	.....	16.7	.....	8.3	6.7	.....	3.8	.....
Flour, wheat	3.6	.....	5.6	.....	8.5	.....	9.7	.....	14.6	.....	12.9	.....
Corn meal	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	6.8	.....	6.8	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	12.1	.....	34.5	.....	6.2	.....	15.0	.....	15.0	.....	8.9	.....
Butter, creamery	22.3	.....	20.4	.....	18.2	.....	27.9	.....	28.3	.....	19.2	.....
Potatoes, Irish	47.4	.....	55.6	.....	64.9	.....	81.3	.....	93.4	.....	17.1	.....
Sugar, granulated	18.0	.....	9.9	.....	12.2	.....	8.0	.....	8.0	.....	6.3	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

ST. LOUIS, MO.

Sirloin steak	.....	7.2	.....	6.4	.....	4.9	4.0	.....	7.1	.....	10.2	.....
Round steak	.....	5.1	.....	5.4	.....	3.9	1.9	.....	10.7	.....	13.0	.....
Rib roast	.....	8.6	.....	7.9	.....	6.7	2.8	.....	16.7	.....	13.8	.....
Pork chops	.....	12.7	.....	15.6	.....	10.0	9.2	.....	9.8	.....	11.3	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	8.7	.....	11.3	.....	7.0	.....	8.9	.....	3.5	.....	4.3
Ham, smoked	.....	10.0	.....	11.6	.....	9.9	.....	9.0	.....	9.1	.....	9.4
Lard, pure	.....	12.4	.....	15.9	.....	.3	4.5	.....	22.7	.....	17.5	.....
Hens	.....	7.8	.....	8.4	0.6	.....	1.5	.....	.7	.....	2.2	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	.2	1.4	.....	3.2	.....	6.0	.....	10.9	.....	12.4	.....
Corn meal	34.2	.....	34.2	.....	34.2	.....	37.1	.....	28.7	.....	28.7	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	20.7	.....	44.6	.....	18.6	.....	26.9	.....	22.1	.....	33.0	.....
Butter, creamery	13.7	.....	12.2	.....	7.0	.....	27.1	.....	26.0	.....	21.4	.....
Potatoes, Irish	39.3	.....	51.3	.....	67.0	.....	68.2	.....	3.3	.....	.....	30.3
Sugar, granulated	14.0	.....	12.6	.....	12.6	.....	8.2	.....	6.3	.....	8.7	.....
Milk, fresh	2.8	.....	2.8	.....	2.8	.....	.....	2.6	.....	2.6	.....	2.6

[1] No change.

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SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	1.8	.....	3.3	.....	4.1	.....	16.2	.....	19.1	.....	21.3	.....
Round steak	1.1	.....	7.4	.....	6.2	.....	13.8	.....	18.4	.....	19.9	.....
Rib roast	6.6	.....	7.9	.....	5.5	.....	6.6	.....	10.5	.....	13.7	.....
Pork chops	.....	5.2	.....	4.9	.....	5.1	1.4	.....	1.9	.....	.....	0.3
Bacon, smoked	.....	4.8	.....	7.5	.....	6.0	.....	4.3	.....	4.3	.....	6.6
Ham, smoked	.....	2.6	.....	2.6	.....	1.6	.....	3.5	.....	3.5	.....	5.8
Lard, pure	.....	6.6	.....	3.1	.....	4.1	.....	3.4	7.0	.....	7.0	.....
Hens	.....	11.2	.....	11.2	.....	9.0	.....	1.5	2.4	.....	.....	.6
Flour, wheat	.....	4.1	.....	6.9	.....	3.3	7.0	.....	20.5	.....	20.1	.....
Corn meal	2.8	.....	2.8	.....	2.8	.....	7.7	.....	10.2	.....	7.9	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	14.4	.....	.....	6.0	.....	18.0	.....	7.2	.....	5.1	.....	1.8
Butter, creamery	1.0	.....	9.4	.....	12.3	.....	20.8	.....	12.3	.....	4.5	.....
Potatoes, Irish	43.3	.....	43.5	.....	91.1	.....	91.4	.....	75.5	.....	32.8	.....
Sugar, granulated	10.6	.....	11.5	.....	12.2	.....	10.0	.....	7.8	.....	4.6	.....
Milk, fresh	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....	4.0	.....

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Sirloin steak	(1)	(1)	1.8	.....	4.1	.....	10.9	.....	8.9	.....	9.4	.....
Round steak	.....	4.8	.....	4.8	.....	1.6	2.8	.....	3.3	.....	.....	0.6
Rib roast	3.3	.....	3.3	.....	5.3	.....	7.1	.....	7.1	.....	7.1	.....
Pork chops	.....	1.8	.....	1.8	.....	1.8	3.3	.....	7.2	.....	7.2	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	10.1	.....	8.8	.....	3.0	.....	3.0	.....	3.0	.....	1.9
Ham, smoked	3.6	.....	3.6	.....	.....	.5	.3	.....	.9	.....	4.1	.....
Lard, pure	.....	20.7	.....	13.7	.....	6.7	.....	1.6	.4	.....	4.8	.....
Hens	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Flour, wheat	.....	.....	2.8	.....	7.3	.....	11.2	.....	12.4	.....	8.7	.....
Corn meal	1.0	.....	3.9	.....	6.8	.....	.....	2.0	5.9	.....	5.9	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	.....	2.0	.....	19.8	.....	6.0	7.4	.....	.6	.....	.....	1.1
Butter, creamery	3.7	.....	14.2	.....	11.7	.....	17.9	.....	12.9	.....	21.9	.....
Potatoes, Irish	.....	6.4	.....	6.1	5.9	.....	6.8	.....	.....	7.2	.....	14.7
Sugar, granulated	14.4	.....	18.9	.....	21.5	.....	15.4	.....	11.6	.....	8.8	.....
Milk, fresh	.3	.....	.3	.....	.....	.2	.....	.2	.....	.2	.....	.2

[1] No change. [2] No quotation.

TABLE III.—PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND BY ARTICLES—Continued.

SCRANTON, PA.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	5.9	.....	6.6	.....	5.6	.....	16.5	.....	18.2	.....	23.3	.....
Round steak	1.1	.....	1.5	.....	.5	.....	15.5	.....	19.4	.....	25.5	.....
Rib roast	1.8	.....	2.7	.....	3.6	.....	9.0	.....	13.8	.....	22.4	.....
Pork chops	2.2	.....	.....	10.5	.....	5.7	7.6	.....	7.2	.....	9.0	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	3.0	.....	4.3	.....	2.4	2.5	.....	4.7	.....	5.6	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	.3	.....	.6	.....	.6	.....	1.4	1.8	.....	1.6	.....
Lard, pure	.....	17.1	.....	14.5	.....	13.3	.....	5.5	5.2	.....	8.5	.....
Hens	1.1	.....	6.2	.....	11.5	.....	13.4	.....	20.4	.....	24.2	.....
Four, wheat	.....	2.1	.....	2.1	.....	.4	3.7	.....	2.6	.....	4.2	.....
Corn meal	10.0	.....	10.0	.....	10.0	.....	10.0	.....	10.0	.....	10.0	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	11.3	.....	62.9	.....	11.4	.....	14.6	.....	14.4	.....	14.1	.....
Butter, creamery	10.8	.....	20.6	.....	19.7	.....	34.4	.....	32.4	.....	20.5	.....
Potatoes, Irish	85.8	.....	87.7	.....	99.0	.....	110.7	.....	83.1	.....	.....	15.0
Sugar, granulated	16.9	.....	9.2	.....	14.6	.....	13.8	.....	10.7	.....	5.7	.....
Milk, fresh	.....	3.1	.....	3.1	.....	3.1	.....	3.1	2.7	.....	2.7	.....

SEATTLE, WASH.

Sirloin steak	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	2.2	.....	8.4	.....	15.4	.....	17.7	.....
Round steak	0.7	.....	0.7	.....	2.7	.....	6.7	.....	10.3	.....	11 0	.....
Rib roast	.....	1.3	.....	1.3	6.7	.....	8.3	.....	13.5	.....	18.1	.....
Pork chops	.....	6.6	.....	6.6	.....	6.6	.5	.....	6.7	.....	8.6	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	11.0	.....	11.1	.....	2.8	.4	.....	7.2	.....	12.0	.....
Ham, smoked	.5	.....	.....	1.1	.....	1.1	.....	3.8	2.9	.....	7.6	.....
Lard, pure	.....	13.6	.....	13.6	.....	10.8	.....	7.6	4.8	.....	12.8	.....
Hens	.....	3.9	.....	4.8	.....	1.6	.....	.6	.....	7.1	2.9	.....
Flour, wheat	.....	7.9	.....	9.4	.....	5.0	.....	5.2	.....	2.1	.....	0.1
Corn meal	.....	2.8	.....	.1	4.3	.....	7.8	.....	12.2	.....	15.9	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	.....	13.1	.....	5.1	1.7	.....	.....	5.7	.....	2.9	.....	2.9
Butter, creamery	.....	5.5	.....	1.2	9.1	.....	13.6	.....	8.0	.....	11.6	.....
Potatoes, Irish	.....	3.0	.....	5.5	10.9	.....	10.5	.....	.....	33.7	.....	52.4
Sugar, granulated	12.4	.....	19.7	.....	19.6	.....	14.9	.....	13.4	.....	11.9	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	.....	9.3	.5	.....	.5	.....	.5	.....

[1] No change.

TABLE III.—PER CENT OF INCREASE OR DECREASE IN RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD: PRICE ON THE 15TH OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE, 1912, COMPARED WITH PRICE ON THE CORRESPONDING DATE IN 1911, BY CITIES AND BY ARTICLES—Concluded.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Commodity.	Price Jan. 15, 1912—		Price Feb. 15, 1912—		Price Mar. 15, 1912—		Price Apr. 15, 1912—		Price May 15, 1912—		Price June 15, 1912—	
	Higher than Jan. 15, 1911.	Lower than Jan. 15, 1911.	Higher than Feb. 15, 1911.	Lower than Feb. 15, 1911.	Higher than Mar. 15, 1911.	Lower than Mar. 15, 1911.	Higher than Apr. 15, 1911.	Lower than Apr. 15, 1911.	Higher than May 15, 1911.	Lower than May 15, 1911.	Higher than June 15, 1911.	Lower than June 15, 1911.
	Per cent.	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*	*Per cent.*
Sirloin steak	3.4	.....	3.4	.....	3.4	.....	7.7	.....	18.2	.....	17.7	.....
Round steak	9.7	.....	9.7	.....	5.4	.....	14.9	.....	22.3	.....	25.1	.....
Rib roast	.....	0.6	.....	0.6	.....	5.2	.....	0.2	16.4	.....	18.1	.....
Pork chops	.2	.....	.....	9.4	.....	2.2	16.7	.....	21.1	.....	17.4	.....
Bacon, smoked	.....	14.9	.....	14.9	.....	13.2	.....	3.8	3.1	.....	3.1	.....
Ham, smoked	.....	8.6	.....	6.2	.....	7.2	.....	1.5	2.4	.....	2.3	.....
Lard, pure	.....	20.6	.....	19.3	.....	5.7	8.9	.....	19.9	.....	17.7	.....
Hens	.....	5.0	.....	3.9	.....	2.7	.....	6.6	(1)	(1)	.....	3.0
Flour, wheat	.....	3.1	.....	1.5	.....	1.5	.....	.5	1.1	.....	3.0	.....
Corn meal	6.7	.....	6.7	.....	14.4	.....	14.4	.....	11.4	.....	13.8	.....
Eggs, strictly fresh	7.2	.....	68.4	.....	4.8	.....	12.6	.....	10.6	.....	18.0	.....
Butter, creamery	20.1	.....	14.3	.....	11.6	.....	29.7	.....	21.0	.....	13.2	.....
Potatoes, Irish	54.9	.....	61.2	.....	83.4	.....	84.2	.....	23.6	.....	15.3	.....
Sugar, granulated	14.0	.....	14.3	.....	17.4	.....	14.6	.....	11.1	.....	11.4	.....
Milk, fresh	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	2.4	.....	.1	.....

[1] No change.

TABLE IV.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD, JANUARY, 1911, TO JUNE, 1912, BY GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS.

[Average price for 1890-1899=100.0.]

SIRLOIN STEAK.

Month.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1911.						
January	117.4	143.3	142.7	142.5	132.4	134.0
February	116.8	142.4	142.7	142.5	132.4	133.7
March	118.3	142.2	142.5	143.8	132.6	134.3
April	118.4	141.9	142.7	143.7	132.3	134.3
May	120.4	144.5	144.7	142.1	134.2	135.8
June	122.1	144.3	144.8	140.9	134.3	136.2
July	124.0	144.3	144.6	141.1	134.1	136.8
August	125.5	144.2	146.2	141.1	132.2	137.3
September	123.9	143.3	143.9	140.2	130.6	135.8
October	120.3	141.2	142.9	139.7	130.1	133.9
November	119.5	137.8	142.9	138.5	130.1	133.0
December	119.1	138.2	142.3	137.9	130.9	132.8
1912.						
January	124.6	146.7	144.1	142.9	131.8	137.1
February	124.1	146.8	145.0	143.4	134.4	137.7
March	125.4	147.5	149.3	145.9	137.7	140.1
April	130.7	151.7	158.2	155.0	144.5	146.9
May	142.5	167.3	168.9	160.4	150.9	157.3
June	147.5	168.1	171.2	159.4	152.0	159.5

TABLE IV.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD, JANUARY, 1911, TO JUNE, 1912, BY GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS—Continued.

ROUND STEAK.

Month.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1911.						
January	133.6	148.3	153.2	160.1	146.9	150.9
February	133.8	147.5	154.2	158.9	147.8	151.1
March	135.8	148.1	155.0	158.9	150.5	152.5
April	135.7	150.0	154.5	161.9	150.5	153.0
May	137.4	149.3	156.2	163.1	151.5	154.2
June	138.8	150.4	157.9	162.0	151.3	155.1
July	140.9	147.6	158.0	160.8	147.7	154.6
August	142.6	148.6	156.6	161.6	145.6	154.7
September	140.8	148.4	153.9	160.4	145.6	153.2
October	138.8	146.4	152.4	160.1	144.3	151.7
November	135.8	143.6	151.2	159.2	143.8	149.8
December	136.1	141.8	151.7	158.7	143.4	149.6
1912.						
January	140.4	149.4	155.5	163.3	145.3	154.1
February	140.4	150.4	156.7	164.8	148.5	155.3
March	143.3	150.5	159.4	167.9	153.2	158.1
April	150.3	155.6	172.3	178.6	161.7	167.3
May	165.3	169.3	184.6	188.9	168.6	179.9
June	173.4	172.6	189.9	185.6	170.1	184.0

RIB ROAST.

Month.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1911.						
January	119.4	141.0	138.0	159.6	145.0	137.8
February	119.7	141.0	138.4	159.6	145.0	138.0
March	120.3	142.2	138.1	159.0	147.8	138.7
April	120.9	141.6	139.9	162.6	148.3	139.8
May	121.9	141.3	139.4	163.2	148.6	140.0
June	121.8	141.2	138.6	160.5	148.6	139.4
July	122.9	138.8	137.8	157.9	145.7	138.4
August	124.5	139.4	137.2	158.0	145.7	138.9
September	125.1	139.0	137.1	157.3	145.3	138.8
October	123.7	136.8	136.5	156.8	145.4	137.9
November	122.5	134.5	137.2	156.9	145.0	137.2
December	122.1	134.2	137.8	158.2	144.6	137.4
1912.						
January	124.8	142.3	140.0	161.0	146.0	140.7
February	125.7	143.4	140.2	162.2	148.4	141.7
March	128.3	142.7	140.8	165.5	152.5	143.6
April	133.3	149.4	150.1	174.4	156.2	150.4
May	145.3	159.6	160.6	182.9	161.9	160.5
June	151.2	161.1	163.7	180.6	166.6	163.8

TABLE IV.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD, JANUARY, 1911, TO JUNE, 1912, BY GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS—Continued.

PORK CHOPS.

Month.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1911.						
January	155.6	181.7	177.9	159.7	185.9	170.5
February	153.8	174.9	176.2	159.2	184.9	168.4
March	153.3	173.2	173.7	159.9	185.9	167.6
April	152.3	171.5	174.4	161.4	184.9	167.4
May	155.5	169.3	171.1	160.2	183.0	166.8
June	155.1	169.9	169.8	162.4	186.4	167.3
July	161.4	172.2	174.2	165.6	185.3	171.0
August	175.1	186.1	187.8	166.5	185.7	180.7
September	177.5	190.2	195.2	162.3	188.3	183.4
October	173.6	185.8	186.1	161.2	187.3	179.1
November	144.1	168.5	169.0	148.8	183.6	160.8
December	139.8	162.0	162.4	143.3	179.1	155.4
1912.						
January	156.7	169.4	164.9	153.3	178.5	164.0
February	146.1	162.8	160.2	147.3	177.3	157.6
March	154.2	167.7	175.7	152.2	183.3	166.3
April	173.4	192.5	197.9	169.0	193.6	185.6
May	177.0	198.4	197.1	170.3	197.6	188.2
June	176.3	195.0	194.6	166.2	196.3	186.0

BACON: Smoked.

1911.						
January	190.1	201.2	191.8	245.5	205.0	203.5
February	186.0	196.7	190.6	244.1	205.0	201.1
March	183.0	194.6	188.1	244.2	201.0	198.6
April	179.1	189.5	187.7	243.9	201.0	196.5
May	179.7	189.1	188.2	243.4	202.5	196.9
June	181.0	188.0	186.9	243.8	201.9	196.8
July	183.7	193.4	188.9	245.0	203.4	199.3
August	186.0	193.3	188.8	245.3	203.8	200.1
September	184.9	194.9	188.7	242.7	202.7	199.4
October	180.1	191.0	174.9	241.5	200.2	193.2
November	174.7	185.6	178.5	236.9	198.2	190.7
December	170.3	182.2	176.6	238.6	193.0	187.8
1912.						
January	169.6	180.2	176.4	232.1	191.1	186.1
February	166.6	178.9	174.8	227.5	188.0	183.5
March	165.6	178.2	174.5	227.3	190.4	183.3
April	173.0	187.0	179.6	236.0	195.0	190.2
May	180.0	190.6	185.8	237.9	199.4	195.5
June	180.6	190.5	188.2	238.9	201.0	196.7

TABLE IV.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD, JANUARY, 1911, TO JUNE, 1912, BY GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS—Continued.

HAM: Smoked.

Month.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1911.						
January	147.7	158.2	147.8	179.7	155.4	155.4
February	146.6	156.5	147.8	179.6	155.4	154.8
March	147.1	154.2	145.3	179.4	155.0	153.8
April	147.0	150.2	145.3	180.0	155.5	153.4
May	147.9	151.6	146.2	180.1	156.6	154.3
June	151.5	153.1	150.4	181.9	157.1	157.0
July	157.0	159.9	152.3	183.3	158.0	160.5
August	161.7	160.8	153.4	183.5	158.0	162.3
September	157.8	159.6	150.4	180.8	157.7	159.8
October	154.2	155.7	148.3	179.8	157.9	157.4
November	148.2	155.2	142.9	174.8	155.6	153.1
December	146.1	145.5	143.6	174.9	153.1	150.9
1912.						
January	147.4	146.1	142.9	174.5	152.9	151.1
February	145.5	146.3	143.4	173.4	152.3	150.5
March	146.2	145.5	144.5	174.7	151.7	150.9
April	150.9	149.4	149.2	179.0	155.6	155.3
May	155.4	156.7	153.4	182.9	157.2	159.7
June	158.2	157.4	155.0	180.9	160.6	161.3

LARD: Pure.

1911.						
January	161.6	167.0	160.2	154.3	159.7	161.1
February	158.7	165.7	158.3	151.6	155.6	158.5
March	151.2	153.1	149.1	149.8	152.5	151.4
April	140.7	144.3	145.6	146.7	149.1	145.2
May	137.7	140.0	140.4	141.5	145.2	140.9
June	134.4	140.6	140.5	139.0	144.0	139.5
July	133.6	140.9	139.1	138.1	142.7	138.6
August	133.9	144.4	140.4	139.5	142.7	139.8
September	138.7	148.3	143.0	140.6	143.1	142.6
October	138.4	148.0	143.6	139.3	143.5	142.5
November	138.6	146.8	143.2	139.9	144.9	142.6
December	136.9	145.4	141.6	139.3	144.1	141.3
1912.						
January	135.5	145.7	143.2	138.8	143.6	141.2
February	135.7	145.4	143.0	138.1	143.7	141.1
March	134.7	144.9	144.1	138.7	144.4	141.2
April	140.7	147.9	148.3	143.6	146.7	145.6
May	147.4	157.6	153.5	151.0	153.8	152.6
June	149.4	158.1	155.7	156.5	157.8	155.3

TABLE IV.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD, JANUARY, 1911, TO JUNE, 1912, BY GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS—Continued.

HENS.

Month.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1911.						
January	138.9	155.5	156.6	187.8	137.5	154.7
February	140.6	154.7	158.1	186.1	138.9	155.5
March	142.1	158.1	161.4	182.2	139.4	156.9
April	144.2	158.7	165.5	184.1	137.7	158.7
May	145.3	151.7	162.5	176.4	137.7	156.1
June	143.2	152.4	153.0	174.8	133.7	152.3
July	146.3	148.2	152.0	174.1	131.1	151.9
August	144.6	147.3	149.1	172.6	130.0	150.1
September	145.5	145.9	147.2	171.4	127.9	149.4
October	143.9	145.1	142.1	171.7	127.6	147.3
November	139.1	138.2	139.2	166.7	126.1	143.2
December	137.7	138.8	143.2	166.5	121.2	142.9
1912.						
January	142.9	147.8	158.4	173.7	125.3	151.4
February	146.1	148.5	163.0	170.9	126.5	153.4
March	151.2	150.4	174.0	178.3	132.1	159.9
April	154.5	153.6	181.0	177.2	135.7	163.6
May	154.1	151.7	178.1	177.2	134.3	162.2
June	153.4	153.0	167.3	173.6	128.4	158.1

FLOUR: Wheat.

1911.						
January	129.8	129.9	127.9	125.4	140.7	130.3
February	128.3	128.6	127.0	125.2	139.3	129.2
March	126.3	128.0	125.4	124.3	135.8	127.5
April	123.7	127.5	124.5	123.0	135.8	126.2
May	124.1	126.9	123.7	121.4	136.5	125.9
June	124.0	126.1	123.3	121.3	138.0	125.8
July	123.8	124.7	124.2	121.4	137.8	125.8
August	125.7	124.9	125.3	121.8	137.3	126.7
September	127.8	125.6	126.0	122.6	136.7	127.6
October	129.6	127.5	128.3	125.3	137.2	129.5
November	130.1	128.5	129.5	126.0	136.9	130.2
December	129.6	128.5	128.7	125.2	135.3	129.5
1912.						
January	129.5	129.5	130.0	125.7	135.5	130.1
February	130.2	129.4	130.6	126.0	136.7	130.7
March	130.0	130.0	131.0	126.3	137.7	131.0
April	130.4	130.7	132.1	127.7	143.9	132.7
May	134.1	136.2	137.8	134.2	150.5	138.4
June	134.9	137.4	138.5	136.0	150.4	139.3

TABLE IV.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD, JANUARY, 1911, TO JUNE, 1912, BY GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS—Continued.

CORN MEAL.

Month.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1911.						
January	142.7	143.4	152.7	139.1	133.6	144.6
February	143.4	143.0	152.3	139.9	133.0	144.6
March	142.9	141.0	153.1	138.4	130.1	143.7
April	144.0	141.0	154.0	139.6	130.8	144.5
May	144.0	141.9	154.3	141.5	130.9	145.1
June	143.0	141.9	155.3	142.5	131.0	145.2
July	144.5	145.6	155.2	147.8	130.3	146.9
August	145.1	148.3	158.0	149.4	131.8	148.7
September	144.3	150.5	159.0	150.8	133.8	149.5
October	148.3	151.5	160.4	149.0	135.2	151.2
November	148.3	151.9	161.7	152.9	136.2	152.3
December	147.3	154.2	161.0	150.9	136.2	151.9
1912.						
January	150.1	154.2	160.9	152.3	136.1	152.9
February	150.6	155.0	161.8	151.2	136.7	153.3
March	150.7	155.0	161.3	154.0	136.8	153.7
April	152.2	160.1	165.1	164.5	137.9	157.6
May	154.7	169.4	167.5	171.9	146.7	163.0
June	153.8	169.8	170.5	173.6	146.4	163.7

EGGS: Strictly fresh.

1911.						
January	185.2	192.3	184.5	231.5	165.1	185.1
February	146.9	145.6	134.9	190.1	143.0	145.9
March	129.0	130.2	115.9	148.4	115.0	123.6
April	114.7	120.0	104.2	140.8	107.5	112.9
May	112.0	115.2	103.6	135.1	106.9	110.4
June	115.7	115.0	104.4	140.9	109.5	112.8
July	127.2	121.3	112.2	156.4	116.0	122.1
August	138.3	135.5	118.8	163.7	134.0	133.0
September	150.7	149.7	133.9	182.1	145.5	146.7
October	168.6	162.9	152.6	188.8	170.1	163.4
November	206.8	188.9	189.0	219.3	200.0	196.2
December	214.7	202.2	204.2	253.3	192.5	207.3
1912.						
January	199.8	210.7	204.3	262.9	174.7	202.9
February	204.0	198.8	188.5	221.3	128.7	185.1
March	131.1	134.8	128.5	163.2	108.6	130.3
April	126.2	132.6	122.2	157.2	106.9	125.9
May	126.1	131.2	116.6	152.5	108.2	123.8
June	128.6	132.5	117.9	157.2	111.0	126.1

TABLE IV.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD, JANUARY, 1911, TO JUNE, 1912, BY GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS—Continued.

BUTTER: Creamery.

Month.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1911.						
January	132.8	131.4	146.3	145.4	148.8	140.7
February	128.0	124.6	135.8	140.2	137.2	133.1
March	121.6	119.5	134.3	134.9	130.2	128.1
April	111.9	111.0	122.2	128.8	115.1	117.8
May	109.5	109.3	120.7	122.2	111.3	114.8
June	111.9	110.3	121.4	120.9	110.7	115.6
July	116.4	112.4	125.5	124.7	114.7	119.4
August	122.4	118.3	133.4	129.0	124.7	126.2
September	126.9	122.5	137.4	134.1	131.1	131.0
October	134.6	130.5	145.9	141.1	139.4	138.9
November	145.4	138.4	159.0	152.3	149.2	149.7
December	154.8	148.5	171.1	166.3	150.8	159.5
1912.						
January	163.5	158.3	179.0	172.4	153.7	166.9
February	157.1	145.0	162.1	158.3	149.0	156.0
March	144.0	136.9	150.5	148.7	141.5	145.5
April	148.6	140.2	157.6	153.7	132.0	148.4
May	145.4	138.1	150.6	149.0	123.9	143.4
June	133.8	128.0	136.3	135.9	125.1	133.3

POTATOES: Irish.

Month.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1911.						
January	109.6	108.6	114.1	120.2	146.0	119.2
February	107.6	108.2	113.7	120.4	149.7	119.0
March	107.5	107.6	114.9	124.9	158.0	121.2
April	112.5	113.3	119.4	127.2	167.1	126.5
May	122.8	132.3	135.3	144.3	187.8	142.5
June	175.2	175.1	211.0	199.2	213.7	196.9
July	212.1	249.9	256.4	227.1	241.8	240.1
August	174.4	210.9	202.1	215.9	178.7	197.6
September	146.7	183.1	174.6	179.5	148.5	167.8
October	135.2	150.0	140.9	150.0	141.1	144.1
November	151.9	151.2	138.9	147.6	150.0	149.0
December	162.6	159.3	154.9	154.3	152.7	159.0
1912.						
January	186.7	171.7	181.6	172.2	154.2	177.8
February	194.9	179.4	190.1	177.7	160.8	185.4
March	200.8	187.8	207.3	192.7	197.6	202.1
April	226.1	211.6	231.0	213.4	212.7	224.7
May	213.2	212.9	221.7	201.6	179.2	211.6
June	206.7	210.2	238.4	210.5	160.9	211.9

TABLE IV.—RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD, JANUARY, 1911, TO JUNE, 1912, BY GEOGRAPHICAL DIVISIONS—Concluded.

SUGAR: Granulated.

Month.	North Atlantic division.	South Atlantic division.	North Central division.	South Central division.	Western division.	United States.
1911.						
January	101.8	98.1	99.5	103.8	90.5	99.9
February	101.5	97.9	97.3	102.6	89.7	98.9
March	101.4	98.0	98.8	103.0	90.2	99.5
April	101.5	97.8	100.3	103.7	90.2	99.9
May	101.5	98.5	102.1	105.7	90.4	100.9
June	103.1	98.3	104.2	107.6	92.2	102.4
July	104.7	100.8	107.4	111.8	96.1	105.3
August	114.8	111.5	117.7	120.8	103.4	115.0
September	132.4	131.5	131.6	135.4	111.6	130.2
October	137.4	134.2	132.1	135.1	113.8	132.2
November	128.1	128.3	123.7	130.4	106.8	124.9
December	120.3	120.5	116.9	124.7	102.6	118.2
1912.						
January	115.7	116.7	114.0	121.5	102.3	115.1
February	113.7	114.7	114.4	120.3	104.4	114.5
March	115.8	115.2	114.6	121.9	105.2	115.6
April	110.9	110.7	111.7	117.1	101.3	111.4
May	108.1	108.6	110.1	114.0	99.2	109.1
June	107.5	107.9	109.8	112.4	98.9	108.5

MILK: Fresh.

1911.						
January	131.4	123.8	136.8	156.4	129.4	135.1
February	131.4	123.8	136.8	156.4	129.9	135.2
March	131.4	123.8	132.8	156.4	130.2	134.2
April	129.0	123.8	130.0	154.9	128.1	132.3
May	125.5	121.5	126.6	152.1	128.1	129.6
June	125.5	120.6	127.7	152.1	128.1	129.8
July	126.5	119.7	127.9	152.1	128.1	129.9
August	126.5	120.6	129.2	153.0	128.1	130.5
September	127.5	120.6	131.3	153.9	128.5	131.5
October	129.3	124.1	133.4	154.6	131.5	133.8
November	131.1	124.6	135.0	155.5	131.5	134.9
December	131.1	124.6	135.0	155.1	132.8	135.0
1912.						
January	130.7	124.4	135.0	153.5	134.0	134.8
February	130.7	124.6	135.0	154.6	134.0	135.0
March	130.7	124.4	135.0	154.1	131.8	134.6
April	130.7	123.7	133.3	153.6	131.8	134.0
May	129.2	121.7	133.3	153.6	131.4	133.2
June	128.9	121.9	132.6	153.6	131.4	132.9

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS.

[The prices quoted are for coal delivered to consumers, but do not include charges for storing ton and half-ton lots in cellar or coal bin, where an extra handling is necessary, except as noted in connection with the price quotation.]

BALTIMORE, MD.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C201	Stove	$7.25	$6.60	$7.25	$7.25
C202	Stove	7.25	6.60	7.25	7.25
C204	Stove	[1] 7.00	[1] 6.50	[1] 7.00	[1] 7.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C201	Stove	3.75	3.45	3.75	3.75
C202	Stove	3.90	3.50	3.90	3.90
C204	Stove	[1] 3.65	[1] 3.40	[1] 3.65	[1] 3.65
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C201	Chestnut	7.25	6.85	7.50	7.50
C202	Chestnut	7.50	6.85	7.50	7.50
C204	Chestnut	[1] 7.00	[1] 6.75	[1] 7.25	[1] 7.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C201	Chestnut	3.75	3.55	3.90	3.90
C202	Chestnut	4.05	3.70	4.00	4.00
C204	Chestnut	[1] 3.65	[1] 3.50	[1] 3.75	[1] 3.75
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C202	Run of mine	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C202	Run of mine	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C301	Cahaba	$4.50	$4.00	$4.50	$4.50
C302	Galloway fancy lump	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C303	Piper Cahaba	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
C304	Cahaba or Carbon Hill	[1] 4.00	[1] 4.00	[1] 4.00	[1] 4.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C301	Cahaba	2.35	2.15	2.35	2.35
C302	Galloway fancy lump	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
C303	Piper Cahaba	2.35	2.35	2.35	2.35
C304	Cahaba or Carbon Hill	[1] 2.10	[1] 1.95	[1] 2.10	[1] 2.10
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C304	Cahaba or Carbon Hill	.22½	.22½	.22½	.22½

[1] Includes storing.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

BOSTON, MASS.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C401	Stove	$7.25	$7.50	$7.50	$8.00
C402	Stove	7.50	7.00	7.50	8.00
C403	Stove	7.25	7.50	7.50	8.00
C404	Stove	7.25	7.50	7.50	8.00
C405	Stove	7.25	7.50	7.50	8.00
C406	Stove	7.25	7.50	7.50	8.00
C407	Stove	7.50	7.00	7.50	8.00
C408	Stove	7.50	7.50	7.50	8.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C401	Stove	3.63	3.75	3.75	4.00
C402	Stove	3.75	3.50	3.75	4.00
C403	Stove	3.63	3.75	3.75	4.00
C404	Stove	3.63	3.75	3.75	4.00
C405	Stove	3.65	3.75	3.75	4.00
C406	Stove	3.63	3.75	3.75	4.00
C407	Stove	3.75	3.50	3.75	4.00
C408	Stove	3.75	3.75	3.75	4.00
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C401	Chestnut	7.25	7.50	7.75	8.25
C402	Chestnut	7.50	7.00	7.50	8.25
C403	Chestnut	7.25	7.50	7.50	8.25
C404	Chestnut	7.25	7.50	7.75	8.25
C405	Chestnut	7.25	7.50	7.50	8.25
C406	Chestnut	7.25	7.50	7.75	8.25
C407	Chestnut	7.50	7.00	7.50	8.25
C408	Chestnut	7.50	7.50	7.50	8.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C401	Chestnut	3.63	3.75	3.88	4.13
C402	Chestnut	3.75	3.50	3.75	4.15
C403	Chestnut	3.63	3.75	3.75	4.13
C404	Chestnut	3.63	3.75	3.88	4.13
C405	Chestnut	3.65	3.75	3.75	4.15
C406	Chestnut	3.63	3.75	3.88	4.13
C407	Chestnut	3.75	3.50	3.75	4.13
C408	Chestnut	3.75	3.75	3.75	4.13
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C401	Georges Creek	4.50	4.25	4.75	5.25
C403	Do	4.75	4.50	4.50	5.25
C407	Georges Creek or New River	4.50	4.25	4.50	5.00
C408	Do	4.50	4.25	4.50	5.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C403	Georges Creek	2.50	2.25	2.25	2.75
C408	Georges Creek or New River	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.50

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

BUFFALO, N. Y.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C501	Stove	$6.50	$6.00	$6.50	$6.50
C502	Stove	6.25	5.75	6.25	6.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C501	Stove	3.40	3.15	3.40	3.40
C502	Stove	3.30	3.05	3.40	3.40
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel.				
C501	Stove	[1] 1.30	[1] 1.30	[1] 1.30	[1] 1.30
C502	Stove	[2] 2.25	[2] 2.25	[2] 2.30	[2] 2.30
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C501	Chestnut	6.75	6.25	6.75	6.75
C502	Chestnut	6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C501	Chestnut	3.50	3.25	3.50	3.50
C502	Chestnut	3.40	3.15	3.40	3.40
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel.				
C501	Chestnut	[1] 1.30	[1] 1.30	[1] 1.30	[1] 1.30
C502	Chestnut	[2] 2.30	[2] 2.30	[2] 2.30	[2] 2.30

CHICAGO, ILL.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C701	Stove	$7.75	$7.25	$7.75	$7.25
C702	Stove	7.75	7.25	7.75	7.75
C703	Stove	7.75	7.25	7.75	7.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C701	Stove	3.88	3.63	3.88	3.63
C702	Stove	3.90	3.65	3.90	3.90
C703	Stove	3.88	3.63	3.88	3.88
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C701	Chestnut	8.00	7.50	8.00	7.50
C702	Chestnut	8.00	7.50	8.00	8.00
C703	Chestnut	7.75	7.25	8.00	8.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C701	Chestnut	4.00	3.75	4.00	3.75
C702	Chestnut	4.00	3.75	4.00	4.00
C703	Chestnut	3.88	3.63	4.00	4.00
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C701	Illinois or Indiana	4.75	4.00	4.75	4.75
C702	Indiana	4.75	3.75	4.75	4.75
C703	Illinois	4.75	4.25	4.75	4.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C701	Illinois or Indiana	2.38	2.00	2.38	2.38
C702	Indiana	2.40	1.90	2.40	2.40
C703	Illinois	2.38	2.13	2.38	2.38

[1] 70 to 75 pounds. [2] 75 to 80 pounds.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

CINCINNATI, OHIO.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C801	Stove	$7.75	$7.25	$7.50	$7.50
C802	Stove	$7.50–7.75	$7.25–7.75	$7.50–8.00	$7.50–8.00
C804	Stove	7.50	7.25	7.25	8.00
C806	Stove	7.50	7.25	7.50	7.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C802	Stove	4.00–4.50	3.90–4.60	4.00–5.00	4.00–5.00
C806	Stove	4.00	3.90	4.00	4.00
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C801	Chestnut	7.75	7.25	7.50	7.50
C802	Chestnut	7.50–7.75	7.25–7.75	7.50–8.00	7.50–8.00
C804	Chestnut	7.50	7.25	7.25	8.00
C806	Chestnut	7.50	7.25	7.50	7.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C802	Chestnut	4.00–4.50	3.90–4.60	4.00–5.00	4.00–5.00
C806	Chestnut	4.00	3.90	4.00	4.00
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C801	Youghiogheny	3.75	3.25	3.25	3.25
C802	Campbells Creek lump	3.75–4.00	3.25–3.50	3.50–3.75	3.25–3.50
C803	Lump	[1] 3.00	[1] 3.00	[1] 3.00	[1] 3.00
C804	Kanawha splint lump	3.50	3.50	3.25	3.25
C805	Lump	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25
C806	Pittsburgh	3.75	3.25	3.50	3.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C801	Youghiogheny	2.13	1.88	1.88	1.88
C802	Campbells Creek lump	2.15–2.65	1.90–2.35	2.00–2.50	1.90–2.35
C806	Pittsburgh	2.15	1.90	2.00	2.00

CLEVELAND, OHIO.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C901	Stove	$7.00	$6.75	$7.25	$7.25
C904	Stove	7.00	7.00	7.25	7.25
C905	Stove	7.00	7.00	7.25	7.25
C906	Stove	7.00	6.75	7.25	7.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C901	Stove	3.70	3.60	3.85	3.85
C904	Stove	3.75	3.50	3.90	3.90
C905	Stove	3.70	3.70	3.90	3.90
C906	Stove	3.70	3.60	3.85	3.85
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C901	Chestnut	7.25	7.00	7.50	7.50
C904	Chestnut	7.25	7.25	7.50	7.50
C905	Chestnut	7.25	7.25	7.50	7.50
C906	Chestnut	7.25	7.00	7.50	7.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C901	Chestnut	3.85	3.70	3.95	3.95
C904	Chestnut	3.90	3.90	4.00	4.00
C905	Chestnut	3.90	3.90	4.00	4.00
C906	Chestnut	3.85	3.70	3.85	3.85

[1] Includes storing.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

CLEVELAND, OHIO—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C901	Goshen lump	$3.75	$3.75	$3.75	$3.75
C902	Pittsburgh lump	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C903	Pittsburgh or Goshen	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C904	Massillon	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
C905	Massilon lump	4.25	4.25	4.50	4.50
	Pennsylvania or Ohio lump	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C906	Massillon lump	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C901	Goshen lump	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10
C902	Pittsburgh lump	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10
C903	Pittsburgh or Goshen	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15
C904	Massillon	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50
C905	Massillon lump	2.35	2.35	2.45	2.45
	Pennsylvania or Ohio lump	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10
C906	Massillon lump	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45

DALLAS, TEX.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1004	Stove	$13.25	$12.00	$13.75	(1)
	Chestnut	13.25	12.00	13.75	(1)
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1002	New Mexico or Oklahoma	[2] 7.50	[2] 7.50	[2] 7.00	[2] $7.00
C1003	McAlester	8.25	7.00	7.70	6.75
C1004	McAlester lump	[2] 8.50	[2] 8.00	[2] 8.50	[2] 8.50
C1005	McAlester	[2] 8.50	[2] 7.50	[2] 8.50	[2] 8.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1002	New Mexico or Oklahoma	[2] 4.00	[2] 4.00	[2] 4.00	[2] 4.00
C1003	McAlester	4.25	3.50	3.85	3.40
C1004	McAlester lump	4.25	4.25	4.50	4.25
C1005	McAlester	4.25	3.75	4.25	4.25
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C1002	New Mexico or Oklahoma	.50	.50	.50	.50
C1003	McAlester	.50	.40	.40	.40
C1004	McAlester lump	.50	.50	.50	.50

[1] No quotation.

[2] Includes storing.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

DENVER, COLO.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	COLORADO ANTHRACITE.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1101	Stove[1]	$8.50	$8.50	$8.50	$8.50
C1105	Stove[1]	9.00	(2)	9.00	(2)
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1101	Stove[1]	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
C1105	Stove[1]	4.75	(2)	4.75	(2)
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1101	Chestnut	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1101	Chestnut	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1101	Canon City lump	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
C1102	Canon City or Maitland	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
C1103	Do	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
C1104	Do	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
C1105	Canon City lump	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1101	Canon City lump	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25
C1102	Canon City or Maitland	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25
C1103	Do	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25
C1104	Do	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
C1105	Canon City lump	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25

DETROIT, MICH.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1201	Stove	$7.50	$7.50	$7.50	$7.50
C1202	Stove	7.25	7.00	7.25	7.00
C1203	Stove	7.50	7.00	7.50	7.50
C1204	Stove	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
C1205	Stove	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1201	Stove	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C1202	Stove	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C1203	Stove	3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C1204	Stove	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C1205	Stove	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C1201	Stove	.35	.35	.35	.35
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 75 pounds.				
C1204	Stove	.35	.35	.35	.35
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1201	Chestnut	7.50	7.50	7.75	7.75
C1202	Chestnut	7.25	7.00	7.25	7.00
C1203	Chestnut	7.50	7.00	7.75	7.75
C1204	Chestnut	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
C1205	Chestnut	7.50	7.75	7.75	7.75

[1] Known locally as No. 3 and No. 5, mixed.

[2] No quotation.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

DETROIT, MICH.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH—con.				
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1201	Chestnut	$3.75	$3.75	$3.90	$3.90
C1202	Chestnut	3.80	3.80	3.80	3.80
C1203	Chestnut	3.75	3.50	4.00	4.00
C1204	Chestnut	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C1205	Chestnut	3.75	3.87½	3.87½	3.87½
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C1201	Chestnut	.35	.35	.35	.35
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 75 pounds.				
C1204	Chestnut	.35	.35	.35	.35
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1201	Jackson Hill	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
C1202	Do	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
C1202	Hocking or West Virginia	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
C1203	Jackson Hill	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C1203	Soft nut	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
C1204	Hocking lump	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1201	Jackson Hill	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75
C1203	Do	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
C1203	Soft nut	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
C1204	Hocking lump	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 60 pounds.				
C1201	Jackson Hill	.25	.25	.25	.25

FALL RIVER, MASS.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1301	Stove	$6.50	$6.50	$7.00	$7.75
C1302	Stove	6.50	6.50	6.75	7.25
C1303	Stove	6.50	6.50	7.00	7.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1301	Stove	3.35	3.35	3.60	4.00
C1302	Stove	3.35	3.35	3.50	3.75
C1303	Stove	3.35	3.35	3.60	4.00
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C1301	Stove	.40	.40	.40	.45
C1302	Stove	.40	.40	.40	.40
C1303	Stove	.40	.40	.40	.40
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1301	Chestnut	6.50	6.50	7.25	8.00
C1302	Chestnut	6.50	6.50	7.00	7.50
C1303	Chestnut	6.75	6.75	7.25	8.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1301	Chestnut	3.35	3.35	3.75	4.10
C1302	Chestnut	3.35	3.35	3.60	3.85
C1303	Chestnut	3.50	3.50	3.75	4.10
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C1301	Chestnut	.40	.40	.40	.45
C1302	Chestnut	.40	.40	.40	.40
C1303	Chestnut	.40	.40	.40	.40

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

FALL RIVER, MASS.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1301	Pocahontas or Sterling	$5.00	$5.00	$5.00	$5.50
C1302	Pocahontas or New River	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1301	Pocahontas or Sterling	2.60	2.60	2.60	2.85
C1302	Pocahontas or New River	2.60	2.60	2.60	2.85
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C1301	Pocahontas or Sterling	.30	.30	.30	.30
C1302	Pocahontas or New River	.40	.40	.40	.40

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1401	Stove	$8.00	$7.25	$8.00	(1)
C1402	Stove	8.00	7.25	8.25	$8.25
C1403	Stove	8.00	7.25	8.25	8.25
C1404	Stove	8.50	8.00	8.50	8.50
C1405	Stove	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.25
C1406	Stove	8.00	7.00	8.00	7.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1401	Stove	4.15	3.75	4.15	(1)
C1402	Stove	4.15	3.75	4.25	4.25
C1403	Stove	4.15	3.75	4.25	4.25
C1404	Stove	4.40	4.15	4.40	4.40
C1405	Stove	4.15	4.15	4.15	4.25
C1406	Stove	4.15	3.65	4.15	3.65
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C1401	Stove	.45	.40	.45	(1)
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C1406	Stove	.40	.40	.40	.40
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1401	Chestnut	8.25	7.50	8.25	(1)
C1402	Chestnut	8.50	7.50	8.50	8.50
C1403	Chestnut	8.50	7.50	8.50	8.50
C1404	Chestnut	8.50	8.00	8.50	8.50
C1405	Chestnut	8.00	8.00	8.25	8.50
C1406	Chestnut	8.50	7.50	8.50	7.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1401	Chestnut	4.25	3.90	4.25	(1)
C1402	Chestnut	4.40	3.90	4.40	4.40
C1403	Chestnut	4.40	3.90	4.40	4.40
C1404	Chestnut	4.40	4.15	4.40	4.40
C1405	Chestnut	4.15	4.15	4.25	4.40
C1406	Chestnut	4.40	3.90	4.40	3.90
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C1401	Chestnut	.45	.45	.45	(1)
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C1406	Chestnut	.45	.40	.45	.40

[1] No quotation.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1401	Indiana lump	$4.00	$3.50	$4.00	(1)
C1402	Do	4.00	3.25	3.75	$3.75
C1403	Pocahontas	5.50	4.50	5.75	5.75
C1404	Indiana	3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C1405	Indiana lump	4.00	4.00	3.50	3.75
C1406	Indiana	4.00	3.00	3.75	3.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1401	Indiana lump	2.15	1.90	2.15	(1)
C1402	Do	2.15	1.80	2.00	2.00
C1403	Pocahontas	2.90	2.40	3.00	3.00
C1404	Indiana	2.03	1.90	2.03	2.03
C1405	Indiana lump	2.15	2.15	1.90	2.00
C1406	Indiana	2.15	1.65	2.00	1.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C1406	Indiana	.25	.20	.25	.20

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1501	Stove	$7.50	$7.50	$7.50	$8.00
C1502	Stove	7.50	7.50	7.50	8.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1501	Stove	3.75	3.75	3.75	4.00
C1502	Stove	3.75	3.75	3.75	4.00
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1501	Chestnut	7.50	7.50	7.50	8.00
C1502	Chestnut	7.50	7.50	7.50	8.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1501	Chestnut	3.75	3.75	3.75	4.00
C1502	Chestnut	3.75	3.75	3.75	4.00
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1501	Domestic lump	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00
C1502	Pocahontas or New River	5.50	5.50	6.00	6.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1501	Domestic lump	3.50	3.50	3.75	3.75
C1502	Pocahontas or New River	2.75	2.75	3.00	3.00

[1] No quotation.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

KANSAS CITY, MO.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1601	Stove	$11.00	$11.00	$11.00	$11.00
C1603	Stove	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
C1604	Stove	11.00	(1)	11.00	(1)
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1601	Stove	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C1603	Stove	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C1604	Stove	5.50	(1)	5.50	(1)
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C1604	Stove	.45	(1)	.45	(1)
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1601	Chestnut	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
C1603	Chestnut	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
C1604	Chestnut	11.00	(1)	11.00	(1)
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1601	Chestnut	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C1603	Chestnut	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C1604	Chestnut	5.50	(1)	5.50	(1)
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C1604	Chestnut	.45	(1)	.45	(1)
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1601	Cherokee lump	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75
C1602	Do	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75
C1603	Lexington, Mo., lump	4.75	4.50	4.75	4.25
C1604	Cherokee or Farmers	4.75	4.50	5.00	4.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1601	Cherokee lump	2.65	2.65	2.65	2.65
C1602	Do	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50
C1603	Lexington, Mo., lump	2.63	2.50	2.63	2.38
C1604	Cherokee or Farmers	2.50	2.25	2.50	2.50
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C1604	Cherokee or Farmers	.20	.20	.20	.20

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1701	Denning or Jenny Lind	$6.50	$6.50	$6.00	$6.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1701	Denning or Jenny Lind	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C1701	Denning or Jenny Lind	.30	.30	.30	.30

[1] No quotation.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

LOS ANGELES, CAL.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1801	Furnace[1]	$19.50	[2]$19.50	[2]$19.50	[2]$19.50
C1803	Stove	[2]20.00	[2]20.00	[2]20.00	[2]20.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1801	Furnace[1]	[2]10.00	[2]10.00	[2]10.00	[2]10.00
C1803	Stove	[2]10.00	[2]10.00	[2]10.00	[2]10.00
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C1801	Furnace[1]	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
C1803	Stove	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1801	American Block or Diamond	[2]14.00	[2]14.00	[2]13.00	[2]13.00
C1803	Black Diamond	[2]14.00	[2]14.00	[2]14.00	[2]14.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1801	American Block or Diamond	[2]7.25	[2]7.25	[2]6.75	[2]6.75
C1803	Black Diamond	[2]7.25	[2]7.25	[2]7.25	[2]7.25
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100-pound sack.				
C1801	American Block or Diamond	.75	.75	.75	.75
C1803	Black Diamond	.80	.80	.80	.80
	LIGNITE.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1802	California	[2]9.00	[2]9.00	[2]9.00	[2]9.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1802	California	(3)	(3)	[2]4.75	[2]4.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100-pound sack.				
C1802	California	(3)	(3)	.55	(3)

[1] Only size of anthracite white ash coal sold by this firm. [2] Includes storing. [3] No quotation.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

LOUISVILLE, KY.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1901	Stove	$8.50	$7.75	$8.50	$8.50
C1903	Stove	8.50	7.75	8.50	7.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1901	Stove	4.50	4.15	4.50	4.50
C1903	Stove	4.50	4.15	4.50	4.15
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1901	Chestnut	8.50	7.75	8.50	8.50
C1903	Chestnut	8.50	7.75	8.50	7.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1903	Chestnut	4.50	4.15	4.50	4.15
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C1901	Pittsburgh	4.75	3.50	4.00	3.75
C1902	Pittsburgh, Straight Creek, or Jellico	4.25	3.75	3.75	3.75
C1903	Jellico lump	4.25	3.75	3.75	3.75
C1904	Pittsburgh lump	4.75	4.25	3.75	3.75
C1905	Do	4.25	3.50	3.75	3.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C1901	Pittsburgh	2.65	2.00	2.25	2.15
C1903	Jellico lump	2.40	2.15	2.15	2.15
C1904	Pittsburgh lump	2.63	2.38	2.13	2.13
C1905	Do	2.40	2.00	2.15	2.15

MANCHESTER, N. H.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2001	Stove	$8.00	$7.50	$8.00	$8.50
C2002	Stove	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2001	Stove	4.00	3.75	4.00	4.25
C2002	Stove	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.25
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100-pound sack.				
C2001	Stove	.50	.50	.50	.50
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2001	Chestnut	8.00	7.75	8.25	8.75
C2002	Chestnut	8.00	8.00	8.25	8.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2001	Chestnut	4.00	3.88	4.13	4.38
C2002	Chestnut	4.00	4.00	4.13	4.38
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton) per 100-pound sack.				
C2001	Chestnut	.50	.50	.50	.50

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

MEMPHIS, TENN.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2101	Stove	[1] $10.00	[1] $9.75	[1] $10.00	[1] $9.75
C2102	Stove	[1] 10.00	[1] 9.50	[1] 10.00	[1] 10.00
C2103	Stove	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
C2104	Stove	[1] 10.00	[1] 9.75	[1] 10.00	[1] 10.00
C2105	Stove	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2101	Stove	[1] 5.25	[1] 5.15	[1] 5.25	[1] 5.15
C2102	Stove	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00
C2103	Stove	5.25	5.25	5.25	5.25
C2104	Stove	[1] 5.25	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.25	[1] 5.25
C2105	Stove	5.25	5.25	5.25	5.25
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2101	Chestnut	[1] 10.00	[1] 9.75	[1] 10.00	[1] 9.75
C2102	Chestnut	[1] 10.00	[1] 9.50	[1] 10.00	[1] 10.00
C2103	Chestnut	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
C2104	Chestnut	[1] 10.00	[1] 9.75	[1] 10.00	[1] 10.00
C2105	Chestnut	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2101	Chestnut	[1] 5.25	[1] 5.15	[1] 5.25	[1] 5.15
C2102	Chestnut	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00
C2103	Chestnut	5.25	5.25	5.25	5.25
C2104	Chestnut	[1] 5.25	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.25	[1] 5.25
C2105	Chestnut	5.25	5.25	5.25	5.25
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2101	Western Kentucky No. 9	[1] 4.45	[1] 3.90	[1] 4.45	[1] 3.90
C2102	Pittsburgh	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00
C2103	Kentucky or Illinois	4.40	4.40	4.40	4.40
C2105	Western Kentucky lump	4.40	4.40	4.40	4.40
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2101	Western Kentucky No. 9	[1] 2.50	[1] 2.20	[1] 2.50	[1] 2.20
C2102	Pittsburgh	[1] 2.75	[1] 2.75	[1] 2.75	[1] 2.75
C2103	Kentucky or Illinois	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45
C2105	Western Kentucky lump	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45

MILWAUKEE, WIS.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2201	Stove	$7.75	$7.25	$7.75	$7.75
C2202	Stove	7.75	7.25	7.75	7.75
C2203	Stove	7.75	7.25	7.75	7.50
C2204	Stove	[1] 8.00	[1] 7.50	[1] 8.00	[1] 8.00
C2205	Stove	7.75	7.25	7.75	7.75
C2206	Stove	7.75	7.25	7.75	7.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2201	Stove	4.15	3.90	4.15	4.15
C2202	Stove	4.13	3.88	4.13	4.13
C2203	Stove	4.13	3.88	3.88	3.75
C2204	Stove	[1] 4.25	[1] 4.00	[1] 4.25	[1] 4.25
C2205	Stove	4.13	3.63	4.13	4.13
C2206	Stove	3.90	3.65	4.15	4.15
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 72 pounds.				
C2205	Stove	.35	.35	.35	.35
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2201	Chestnut	8.00	7.50	8.00	8.00
C2202	Chestnut	7.75	7.50	8.00	8.00
C2203	Chestnut	8.00	7.50	8.00	8.00
C2204	Chestnut	[1] 8.25	[1] 7.75	[1] 8.25	[1] 8.25
C2205	Chestnut	8.00	7.50	8.00	8.00
C2206	Chestnut	8.00	7.50	8.00	8.00

[1] Includes storing.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH—con.				
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2201	Chestnut	$4.25	$4.00	$4.25	$4.25
C2202	Chestnut	4.13	4.00	4.25	4.25
C2203	Chestnut	4.00	3.75	4.00	4.00
C2204	Chestnut	[1] 4.38	[1] 4.13	[1] 4.38	[1] 4.38
C2205	Chestnut	4.25	4.00	4.25	4.25
C2206	Chestnut	4.00	3.75	4.25	4.25
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 72 pounds.				
C2205	Chestnut	.35	.35	.35	.35
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2201	Pocahontas egg	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2202	Pocahontas egg or nut	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2203	Do	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2204	Pocahontas	[1] 6.50	[1] 6.00	[1] 6.00	[1] 6.00
C2204	Hocking	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00	[1] 5.00
C2205	Do	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75
C2206	Pocahontas	6.25	5.75	5.75	5.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2201	Pocahontas egg	3.15	3.15	3.15	3.15
C2202	Pocahontas egg or nut	3.13	3.13	3.13	3.13
C2203	Do	3.15	3.15	3.15	3.15
C2204	Pocahontas	[1] 3.50	[1] 3.25	[1] 3.25	[1] 3.25
C2204	Hocking	[1] 2.75	[1] 2.75	[1] 2.75	[1] 2.75
C2205	Do	2.63	2.63	2.63	2.63
C2206	Pocahontas	3.15	2.90	3.10	3.10
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 68 pounds.				
2205	Hocking	.20	.20	.20	.20

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2301	Stove	$9.00	$8.50	$9.00	$9.00
C2302	Stove	9.00	8.50	9.00	9.00
C2303	Stove	9.00	8.50	9.00	9.00
C2304	Stove	9.00	8.50	9.00	9.00
C2305	Stove	9.00	8.50	9.00	9.00
C2306	Stove	9.00	8.50	9.00	9.00
C2307	Stove	9.00	8.50	9.00	8.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2301	Stove	4.75	4.50	4.75	4.75
C2302	Stove	4.75	4.50	4.75	4.75
C2303	Stove	4.75	4.50	4.75	4.75
C2304	Stove	4.75	4.50	4.75	4.75
C2305	Stove	4.75	4.50	4.75	4.75
C2306	Stove	4.75	4.50	4.75	4.75
C2307	Stove	4.75	4.50	4.75	4.50
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C2301	Stove	.45	.45	.45	.45
C2305	Stove	.50	.50	.50	.50

[1] Includes storing.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH—con.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2301	Chestnut	$9.25	$8.75	$9.25	$9.25
C2302	Chestnut	9.00	8.75	9.25	9.25
C2303	Chestnut	9.25	8.75	9.25	9.25
C2304	Chestnut	9.00	8.75	9.25	9.25
C2305	Chestnut	9.25	8.75	9.25	9.25
C2306	Chestnut	9.25	8.75	9.25	9.25
C2307	Chestnut	9.25	8.75	9.25	8.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2301	Chestnut	4.90	4.65	4.90	4.90
C2302	Chestnut	4.75	4.65	4.90	4.90
C2303	Chestnut	4.90	4.65	4.90	4.90
C2304	Chestnut	4.75	4.65	4.90	4.90
C2305	Chestnut	4.90	4.65	4.90	4.90
C2306	Chestnut	4.90	4.65	4.90	4.90
C2307	Chestnut	4.90	4.65	4.90	4.65
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C2301	Chestnut	.45	.45	.45	.45
C2305	Chestnut	.50	.50	.50	.50
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2301	Hocking lump	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2302	Illinois washed nut or stove	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
C2303	Franklin County (Ill.)	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
C2304	Hocking lump	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2305	Hocking	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2306	Hocking lump	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2307	Youghiogheny or Hocking	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2301	Hocking lump	3.15	3.15	3.15	3.15
C2302	Illinois washed nut or stove	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
C2303	Franklin County (Ill.)	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
C2304	Hocking lump	3.15	3.15	3.15	3.15
C2305	Hocking	3.15	3.15	3.15	3.15
C2306	Hocking lump	3.15	3.15	3.15	3.15
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C2301	Hocking lump	.35	.35	.35	.35
C2305	Hocking	.35	.35	.35	.35

NEWARK, N. J.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2401	Stove	$6.25	$5.75	$6.25	$6.25
C2402	Stove	6.25	5.75	6.25	6.25
C2403	Stove	6.25	5.75	6.25	6.25
C2404	Stove	6.25	5.75	6.25	6.25
C2405	Stove	6.25	5.75	6.25	6.25
C2406	Stove	6.25	5.75	6.25	6.25
C2407	Stove	6.25	5.75	6.25	6.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2401	Stove	3.25	2.90	3.20	3.20
C2402	Stove	3.25	3.00	3.20	3.20
C2403	Stove	3.15	2.90	3.15	3.15
C2404	Stove	3.25	3.00	3.20	3.20
C2405	Stove	3.15	3.00	3.20	3.20
C2406	Stove	3.25	2.90	3.20	3.20

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

NEWARK, N. J.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH—con.				
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C2403	Stove	$0.35	$0.30	$0.35	$0.35
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2401	Chestnut	6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2402		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2403		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2404		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2405		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2406		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2407		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2401	Chestnut	3.25	3.00	3.35	3.35
C2402		3.25	3.00	3.35	3.35
C2403		3.25	3.00	3.25	3.25
C2404		3.25	3.00	3.35	3.35
C2405		3.25	3.00	3.35	3.35
C2406		3.25	3.00	3.35	3.35
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C2403	Chestnut	.35	.35	.35	.35

NEW HAVEN, CONN.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2501	Stove	$6.75	$6.25	$6.75	$7.75
C2502		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
C2503		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
C2504		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
C2505		[1] 6.75	[1] 6.25	[1] 6.75	[1] 6.25
C2506		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
C2507		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2501	Stove	3.75	3.35	3.60	4.10
C2502		3.60	3.35	3.60	4.10
C2503		3.60	3.35	3.60	4.10
C2504		3.60	3.35	3.60	4.10
C2505		[1] 3.60	[1] 3.30	[1] 3.60	[1] 3.30
C2506		3.60	3.40	3.60	4.10
C2507		3.65	3.35	3.65	4.10
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 70 pounds.				
C2506	Stove	.30	.30	.30	.30
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2501	Chestnut	6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
C2502		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
C2503		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
C2504		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
C2505		[1] 6.75	[1] 6.25	[1] 6.75	[1] 6.25
C2506		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
C2507		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2501	Chestnut	3.75	3.35	3.60	4.10
C2502		3.60	3.35	3.60	4.10
C2503		3.60	3.35	3.60	4.10
C2504		3.60	3.35	3.60	4.10
C2505		[1] 3.60	[1] 3.30	[1] 3.60	[1] 3.30
C2506		3.60	3.40	3.60	4.10
C2507		3.65	3.35	3.65	4.10
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 70 pounds.				
C2506	Chestnut	.30	.30	.30	.30

[1] Includes storing.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

NEW HAVEN, CONN.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C2504	Clearfield	$4.25	$4.25	$4.25	$4.25
C2505	"Jenner" Quemahoning	[1] 4.25	[1] 4.25	[1] 4.25	[1] 4.25
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2501	Georges Creek	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
	Clearfield	4.25	4.25	4.25	4.25
C2502	Webster	4.25	4.25	4.25	4.25
C2503	Logan No. 2	3.85	3.85	3.85	3.85
C2507	Miller Vein	4.25	4.25	4.25	4.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C2504	Clearfield	2.40	2.40	2.40	2.40
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2501	Georges Creek	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75
	Clearfield	2.40	2.40	2.40	2.40
C2502	Webster	2.40	2.40	2.40	2.40
C2503	Logan No. 2	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.20
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C2501	Georges Creek or Clearfield	(2)	(2)	.25	.25

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2601	Stove	$10.00	$9.00	$10.00	$9.00
C2602		10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
C2603		10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
C2604		10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2601	Stove	5.25	4.75	5.25	4.75
C2602		5.25	5.25	5.25	5.25
C2603		5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
C2604		5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2601	Chestnut	10.00	9.00	10.00	9.00
C2602		10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
C2603		10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
C2604		10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2601	Chestnut	5.25	4.75	5.25	4.75
C2602		5.25	5.25	5.25	5.25
C2603		5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
C2604		5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2601	Alabama or Pittsburgh	[3] 6.67	[3] 5.56	[3] 6.67	[3] 5.56
C2602	Do	6.67	6.67	6.67	6.67
C2603	Cahaba fancy lump	6.65	6.65	6.65	6.65
C2604	Pittsburgh lump	6.60	6.60	6.60	6.60
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2601	Alabama or Pittsburgh	[3] 3.61	[3] 3.06	[3] 3.61	[3] 3.06
C2602	Do	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67
C2603	Cahaba fancy lump	3.35	3.35	3.35	3.35
C2604	Pittsburgh lump	3.30	3.30	3.30	3.30
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 68 pounds.				
C2602	Alabama or Pittsburgh	.40	.40	.40	(2)

[1] Includes storing. [2] No quotation. [3] Sold by barrel of 180 pounds.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

NEW YORK, N. Y.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2701	Stove	$6.50	$6.00	$6.50	$6.50
C2702		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2703		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2704		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2705		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.00
C2706		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.75
C2707		[1] 6.50	[1] 6.21	[1] 6.53	[1] 7.50
C2708		[2] 6.50	[2] 6.00	[2] 6.75	[2] 7.00
C2709		$6.25–6.35	$5.75–5.85	6.50	6.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2701	Stove	3.50	3.25	3.50	3.50
C2702		3.50	3.25	3.50	3.50
C2703		3.50	3.25	3.50	3.50
C2704		3.25	3.00	3.25	3.25
C2705		3.63	3.38	3.63	3.75
C2706		3.50	3.25	3.50	3.62
C2707		[1] 3.50	[1] 3.35	[1] 3.52	[1] 4.00
C2708		[2] 3.25	[2] 3.00	[2] 3.50	[2] 4.00
C2709		3.13	2.88	3.25	3.38
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2701	Chestnut	6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2702		6.75	6.25	6.75	6.75
C2703		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.50
C2704		6.75	6.25	6.75	6.75
C2705		6.75	6.25	6.75	7.25
C2706		6.50	6.00	6.50	6.75
C2707		[1] 6.50	[1] 6.21	[1] 6.53	[1] 7.50
C2708		[2] 6.50	[2] 6.25	[2] 6.75	[2] 7.00
C2709		6.50–6.60	6.00–6.10	6.50	6.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2701	Chestnut	3.50	3.25	3.50	3.50
C2702		3.63	3.38	3.63	3.63
C2703		3.50	3.25	3.50	3.50
C2704		3.38	3.13	3.38	3.38
C2705		3.63	3.38	3.63	3.88
C2706		3.50	3.25	3.50	3.62
C2707		[1] 3.50	[1] 3.35	[1] 3.52	[1] 4.00
C2708		[2] 3.25	[2] 3.25	[2] 3.50	[2] 4.00
C2709		3.25	3.00	3.25	3.38
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2704	Cumberland	5.25	5.25	5.25	5.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2704	Cumberland	2.75	2.75	2.75	3.00

[1] Average price of actual deliveries on each date. Includes storing.
[2] Includes storing.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

OMAHA, NEBR.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2801	Stove	$11.00	$10.50	$11.00	$11.00
C2802	Stove	10.50	10.50	10.50	10.50
C2803	Stove	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
C2804	Stove	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
C2805	Stove	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2801	Stove	5.75	5.50	5.75	5.75
C2802	Stove	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
C2803	Stove	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2804	Stove	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2805	Stove	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
	In small lots, (less than one-fourth ton) per 100 pounds.				
C2804	Stove	.55	.55	.55	.55
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2801	Chestnut	11.00	10.50	11.00	11.00
C2802	Chestnut	10.50	10.50	10.50	10.50
C2803	Chestnut	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
C2804	Chestnut	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
C2805	Chestnut	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2801	Chestnut	5.75	5.50	5.75	5.75
C2802	Chestnut	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
C2803	Chestnut	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2804	Chestnut	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C2805	Chestnut	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C2804	Chestnut	.55	.55	.55	.55
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C2801	Southern Illinois	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00
C2802	Illinois	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.50
C2803	Southern Illinois	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00
C2804	Illinois	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00
C2805	Iowa lump	5.25	5.25	5.50	5.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C2801	Southern Illinois	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C2802	Illinois	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50
C2803	Southern Illinois	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C2804	Illinois	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C2805	Iowa lump	2.85	2.85	3.00	3.00
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C2804	Illinois	.35	.35	.35	.35

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C2901	Stove	$6.75	$6.25	$6.75	$6.25
C2902	Stove	6.50	6.25	6.75	6.75
C2903	Stove	6.75	6.25	7.00	7.00
C2904	Stove	7.00	6.25	7.00	7.00
C2905	Stove	6.75	6.25	6.75	6.75
C2906	Stove	6.75	6.25	6.75	6.75
C2907	Stove	7.00	6.50	7.25	6.75
C2908	Stove	6.75	6.25	6.75	6.75
C2909	Stove	6.75	6.25	6.75	6.75
C2910	Stove	[1] 7.00	[1] 6.50	[1] 7.00	[1] 7.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C2901	Stove	3.63	3.38	3.63	3.38
C2902	Stove	3.40	3.25	3.50	3.50
C2903	Stove	(2)	(2)	3.75	3.75
C2904	Stove	3.65	3.25	3.65	3.65
C2905	Stove	3.50	3.25	3.50	3.50
C2906	Stove	3.50	3.25	3.50	3.50
C2907	Stove	3.65	3.40	3.75	3.50
C2908	Stove	3.50	3.25	3.50	3.50
C2909	Stove	(2)	(2)	3.50	3.50
C2910	Stove	[1] 3.50	[1] 3.50	[1] 3.65	[1] 3.65
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton) per bushel of 70 pounds.				
C2906	Stove	.25	.25	.25	.25
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C2901	Chestnut	7.00	6.50	7.00	7.25
C2902	Chestnut	6.50	6.50	7.00	6.50
C2903	Chestnut	6.75	6.50	7.25	7.50
C2904	Chestnut	7.00	6.50	7.25	7.20
C2905	Chestnut	6.75	6.50	7.00	7.00
C2906	Chestnut	7.00	6.50	7.00	7.00
C2907	Chestnut	7.25	6.75	7.25	6.75
C2908	Chestnut	6.75	6.50	7.00	7.00
C2909	Chestnut	7.00	6.50	7.00	7.00
C2910	Chestnut	[1] 7.00	[1] 6.75	[1] 7.25	[1] 7.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C2901	Chestnut	3.75	3.50	3.63	3.50
C2902	Chestnut	3.40	3.40	3.65	3.65
C2903	Chestnut	(2)	(2)	3.90	3.90
C2904	Chestnut	3.65	3.40	3.75	3.75
C2905	Chestnut	3.50	3.40	3.65	3.65
C2906	Chestnut	3.65	3.40	3.65	3.65
C2907	Chestnut	3.75	3.50	3.75	3.50
C2908	Chestnut	3.50	3.40	3.65	3.65
C2909	Chestnut	(2)	(2)	3.50	3.50
C2910	Chestnut	[1] 3.50	[1] 3.50	[1] 3.65	[1] 3.65
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton) per bushel of 70 pounds.				
C2906	Chestnut	.25	.25	.25	.25
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C2902	Clearfield	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.50
C2909	Pennsylvania	$3.50–3.75	$3.50–3.75	3.75	$3.75–4.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C2902	Clearfield	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.50

[1] Includes storing. [2] No quotation.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

PITTSBURGH, PA.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C3003	Stove	$7.25	$7.25	$7.00	$7.00
C3004	Stove	7.25	7.25	7.00	7.00
C3005	Stove	7.25	6.50	7.00	7.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C3003	Stove	3.88	3.88	3.75	3.75
C3004	Stove	3.88	3.88	3.75	3.75
C3005	Stove	3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C3003	Chestnut	7.25	7.25	7.00	7.00
C3004	Chestnut	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00
C3005	Chestnut	7.25	6.50	7.00	7.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C3003	Chestnut	3.88	3.88	3.75	3.75
C3004	Chestnut	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C3005	Chestnut	3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
	BITUMINOUS.				
	Per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3001	Pittsburgh	3.15	3.15	3.15	3.25
C3002	One-and-one-fourth-inch lump	[1] 3.03	[1] 3.03	[1] 3.16	[1] 3.16
C3003	Pittsburgh	[1] 3.16	[1] 3.16	[1] 3.16	[1] 3.16
C3004	Pittsburgh gas coal	[2] 3.16	[2] 3.16	[2] 3.16	[2] 3.16
C3005	One-and-one-fourth-inch lump	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.16
	Per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3002	One-and-one-fourth-inch lump	[3] 1.75	[3] 1.75	[3] 2.02	[3] 2.02
C3005	Do	1.84	1.84	1.84	1.84
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 76 pounds.				
C3001	Pittsburgh	.125	.125	.125	.14
C3002	One-and-one-fourth-inch lump	(4)	(4)	.17	.17

PROVIDENCE, R. I.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3201	Stove	[5] $7.25	[5] $6.75	[5] $7.25	[5] $8.25
C3202	Stove	[5] 7.25	[5] 6.75	[5] 7.25	[5] 8.25
C3203	Stove	[5] 7.25	[5] 7.25	[5] 7.25	[5] 8.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3201	Stove	[5] 3.80	[5] 3.55	[5] 3.80	[5] 4.30
C3202	Stove	[5] 3.80	[5] 3.55	[5] 3.80	[5] 4.30
C3203	Stove	[5] 3.80	[5] 3.80	[5] 3.80	[5] 4.30
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3201	Chestnut	[5] 7.25	[5] 7.00	[5] 7.50	[5] 8.50
C3202	Chestnut	[5] 7.50	[5] 7.00	[5] 7.50	[5] 8.50
C3203	Chestnut	[5] 7.25	[5] 7.25	[5] 7.50	[5] 8.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3201	Chestnut	[5] 3.80	[5] 3.65	[5] 3.90	[5] 4.40
C3202	Chestnut	[5] 3.90	[5] 3.65	[5] 3.90	[5] 4.40
C3203	Chestnut	[5] 3.80	[5] 3.80	[5] 3.90	[5] 4.40
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3202	New River or Pocahontas	[5] 4.25	[5] 4.25	[5] 4.25	[5] 5.25

[1] Price computed from sales in 25-bushel lots.
[2] Price computed from sales in lots of less than 50 bushels.
[3] Price computed from sales in 15-bushel lots.
[4] No quotation.
[5] Includes storing.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

RICHMOND, VA.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1012	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3301	Stove	$7.00	$7.00	$7.25	$7.25
C3302	Stove	7.00	7.00	7.25	7.25
C3303	Stove	7.00	7.00	7.25	7.25
C3304	Stove	7.00	7.00	7.25	7.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3301	Stove	3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C3303	Stove	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
C3304	Stove	3.50	3.50	3.63	3.63
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel.[1]				
C3301	Stove	.30	.30	.30	.30
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3301	Chestnut	7.00	7.00	7.25	7.25
C3302	Chestnut	7.00	7.00	7.25	7.25
C3303	Chestnut	7.00	7.00	7.25	7.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3301	Chestnut	3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C3303	Chestnut	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel.[1]				
C3301	Chestnut	.30	.30	.30	.30
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3301	Splint or New River lump	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
C3303	Kanawha splint	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
C3304	Splint	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3301	Splint or New River lump	2.75	2.75	3.00	3.00
C3303	Kanawha splint	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
C3304	Splint	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel.[1]				
C3301	Splint or New River lump	.25	.25	.25	.25

[1] Sold by standard bushel of 2,150.42 cubic inches; not sold by weight.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

ST. LOUIS, MO.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3401	Stove	$8.25	$8.25	$8.25	$8.25
C3402	Stove	8.25	8.25	8.25	8.25
C3403	Stove	8.00	7.50	8.00	8.00
C3404	Stove	8.00	7.50	8.00	8.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3401	Stove	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
C3402	Stove	4.40	4.40	4.40	4.40
C3403	Stove	4.13	3.88	4.13	4.13
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3401	Chestnut	8.25	8.25	8.50	8.50
C3402	Chestnut	8.25	8.25	8.25	8.25
C3403	Chestnut	8.00	7.75	8.25	8.25
C3404	Chestnut	8.00	7.75	8.25	8.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3401	Chestnut	4.50	4.50	4.63	4.63
C3402	Chestnut	4.40	4.40	4.40	4.40
C3403	Chestnut	4.13	4.00	4.25	4.25
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3401	Domestic lump	3.88	3.63	3.88	3.63
C3402	Big Muddy lump	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
C3403	Mount Olive	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.50
C3404	Carterville	3.75	3.50	3.50	3.75

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

	COLORADO ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3502	Stove	[1] $11.00	[1] $11.00	[1] $11.00	[1] $11.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3502	Stove	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C3502	Stove	.75	.75	.75	.75
	COLORADO ANTHRACITE RED ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3501	Stove	[1] 11.00	[1] 11.00	[1] 11.00	[1] 11.00
C3502	Stove	[1] 11.25	[1] 11.25	[1] 11.00	[1] 11.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3501	Stove	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75
C3502	Stove	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C3501	Stove	.75	.75	.75	.75
C3502	Stove	.75	.75	.75	.75
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3501	Chestnut	(2)	(2)	[1] 11.00	[1] 11.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3501	Chestnut	(2)	(2)	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C3501	Chestnut	(2)	(2)	.75	.75

[1] Includes storing.

[2] No quotation.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	COLORADO ANTHRACITE RED ASH—concluded.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3501	Furnace	[1] $11.00	[1] $11.00	[1] $11.00	[1] $11.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3501	Furnace	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C3501	Furnace	.75	.75	.75	.75
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3501	Castle Gate or Clear Creek	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75
C3502	Utah or Wyoming	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75	[1] 5.75
C3503	Do	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
C3504	Do	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3501	Castle Gate or Clear Creek	[1] 3.00	[1] 3.00	[1] 3.00	[1] 3.00
C3502	Utah or Wyoming	[1] 3.00	[1] 3.00	[1] 3.00	[1] 3.00
C3503	Do	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
C3504	Do	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C3501	Castle Gate or Clear Creek	.40	.40	.40	.40
C3502	Utah or Wyoming	[2] .35	[2] .35	[2] .35	[2] .35
C3503	Do	.40	.40	.40	.40
C3504	Do	.40	.40	.40	.40

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3601	Stove	[1] $19.00	[1] $19.00	[1] $19.00	[1] $19.00
C3602	Stove	[1] 18.00	[1] 18.00	[1] 18.00	[1] 18.00
C3604	Stove	[1] 19.00	[1] 19.00	[1] 19.00	[1] 19.00
C3605	Stove	[1] 17.00	[1] 17.00	[1] 17.00	[1] 17.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3601	Stove	[1] 9.50	[1] 9.50	[1] 9.50	[1] 9.50
C3602	Stove	[1] 9.00	[1] 9.00	[1] 9.00	[1] 9.00
C3604	Stove	[1] 9.50	[1] 9.50	[1] 9.50	[1] 9.50
C3605	Stove	[1] 8.50	[1] 8.50	[1] 8.50	[1] 8.50
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton) per 100 pounds.				
C3601	Stove	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
C3605	Stove	.90	.90	.90	.90
	CHINESE OR WELSH ANTHRACITE.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3605	Stove	[1] 15.00	[1] 15.00	[1] 15.00	[1] 15.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3605	Stove	[1] 7.50	[1] 7.50	[1] 7.50	[1] 7.50
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C3605	Stove	.80	.80	.80	.80

[1] Includes storing. [2] Per bushel of 80 pounds.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3601	Wellington	[1]$12.00	[1]$12.00	[1]$11.00	[1]$11.00
C3602	Richmond or Wellington	[1]11.00	[1]11.00	[1]11.00	[1]11.00
C3603	Wellington	[1]12.00	[1]12.00	[1]11.00	[1]11.00
C3604	Do	[1]12.00	[1]12.00	[1]11.00	[1]11.00
C3605	Do	[1]11.00	[1]11.00	[1]11.00	[1]11.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3601	Wellington	[1]6.00	[1]6.00	[1]5.50	[1]5.50
C3602	Richmond or Wellington	[1]5.50	[1]5.50	[1]5.50	[1]5.50
C3603	Wellington	[1]6.00	[1]6.00	[1]5.50	[1]5.50
C3604	Do	[1]6.00	[1]6.00	[1]5.50	[1]5.50
C3605	Do	[1]5.50	[1]5.50	[1]5.50	[1]5.50
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per 100 pounds.				
C3601	Wellington	.65	.65	.60	.60
C3602	Richmond or Wellington	.65	.65	.65	.65
C3603	Wellington	.65	.65	.60	.60
C3604	Do	.65	.65	.60	.60
C3605	Do	.60	.60	.60	.60

SEATTLE, WASH.

	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE RED ASH.				
	In ton lots, 2,000 pounds per ton.				
C3801	Stove	(2)	(2)	[3]$16.25	[3]$16.25
C3802	Stove	(2)	(2)	17.25	(2)
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3801	Stove	(2)	(2)	[3]8.15	[3]8.15
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per sack of 125 pounds.				
C3801	Stove	(2)	(2)	1.10	1.10
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3801	Chestnut	[3]$16.25	[3]$16.25	16.25	16.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3801	Chestnut	[3]8.15	[3]8.15	[3]8.15	[3]8.15
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per sack of 125 pounds.				
C3801	Chestnut	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,000 pounds.				
C3801	Black Diamond lump	[3]7.00	[3]7.00	[3]7.00	[3]7.00
C3802	Do	8.25	8.25	8.25	8.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,000 pounds.				
C3801	Black Diamond lump	[3]3.50	[3]3.50	[3]3.50	[3]3.50
C3802	Do	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per sack of 125 pounds.				
C3801	Black Diamond lump	.55	.55	.55	.55

[1] Includes storing. [2] No quotation. [3] Not d elivered.

TABLE V.—RETAIL PRICES OF COAL, FOR HOUSEHOLD USE, ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, JANUARY AND APRIL, 1911, AND JANUARY AND APRIL, 1912, BY CITIES AND BY FIRMS—Continued.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE WHITE ASH.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C3901	Stove	$7.25	$6.75	$7.25	$7.25
C3902		7.25	6.75	7.25	7.25
C3903		7.25	6.75	7.25	7.25
C3904		7.25	6.75	7.25	7.25
C3905		7.25	6.75	7.25	7.25
C3906		7.25	6.75	7.25	7.25
C3907		7.25	6.75	7.25	7.25
C3908		7.25	6.75	7.25	7.25
C3909		7.25	6.75	7.25	7.25
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C3901	Stove	3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C3902		3.70	3.50	3.70	3.70
C3903		3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C3904		3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C3905		3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C3906		3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C3907		3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C3908		3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
C3909		3.75	3.50	3.75	3.75
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C3902	Stove	.30	.30	.30	.30
C3903		[1].30	[1].30	[1].30	[1].30
C3904		[1].35	[1].35	[1].35	[1].35
C3905		.30	.30	.30	.30
C3907		.30	.30	.30	.30
C3908		.30	.30	.30	.30
C3909		.30	.30	.30	.30
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C3901	Chestnut	7.25	7.00	7.50	7.50
C3902		7.25	7.00	7.50	7.50
C3903		7.25	7.00	7.50	7.50
C3904		7.25	7.00	7.50	7.50
C3905		7.25	6.75	7.50	7.50
C3906		7.25	7.00	7.50	7.50
C3907		7.25	7.00	7.50	7.50
C3908		7.25	7.00	7.50	7.50
C3909		7.25	7.00	7.50	7.50
	In half ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C3901	Chestnut	3.75	3.65	3.90	3.90
C3902		3.70	3.60	3.80	3.80
C3903		3.75	3.63	3.85	3.85
C3904		3.75	3.60	3.85	3.85
C3905		3.75	3.50	3.85	3.85
C3906		3.75	3.60	3.85	3.85
C3907		3.75	3.65	3.90	3.90
C3908		3.75	3.60	3.85	3.85
C3909		3.75	3.60	3.85	3.85
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C3902	Chestnut	.30	.30	.30	.30
C3903		[1].30	[1].30	[1].30	[1].30
C3904		[1].35	[1].35	[1].35	[1].35
C3905		.30	.30	.30	.30
C3907		.30	.30	.30	.30
C3908		.30	.30	.30	.30
C3909		.30	.30	.30	.30

[1] Per measured bushel.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—Concluded.

Firm number.	Kind and size of coal and unit of sale.	1911		1912	
		Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.	Jan. 15.	Apr. 15.
	BITUMINOUS.				
	In ton lots, per ton of 2,240 pounds.				
C3901	Georges Creek	$4.25	$4.25	$4.25	$4.25
C3902	Argyle or New River, run of mine	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
C3903	Cumberland	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
C3906	Georges Creek, run of mine	4.25	4.25	4.25	4.35
C3907	Big Vein Georges Creek	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
C3908	Georges Creek	4.25	4.25	4.25	4.25
C3909	Big Vein Georges Creek	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
	In half-ton lots, per half ton of 1,120 pounds.				
C3901	Georges Creek	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50
C3903	Cumberland	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30
C3906	Georges Creek, run of mine	2.38	2.38	2.35	2.40
C3907	Big Vein, Georges Creek	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50
C3908	Georges Creek	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
C3909	Big Vein Georges Creek	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
	In small lots (less than one-fourth ton), per bushel of 80 pounds.				
C3907	Big Vein, Georges Creek	.25	.25	.25	.25
C3908	Georges Creek	.20	.20	.20	.20